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If they're out there, we'll flush them

## Major Mayville subdivision proposed

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Developer Ron Savage is proposing the largest subdivision in recent Bethel history.

In fact, it may be the largest such project ever.

Frank Vogt, who served on the Bethel Planning Board for more than a decade, and chaired it for many of those years, said he could think of no project — with the exception of the failed Bethel Station commercial development — which approached Savages proposal in overall scope.

The 31-lot subdivision, to be named "Birch Woods," would be developed on a 120-acre parcel of land, located off the west side of the Mayville Road, a mile south of the Sunday River Road.

Savage, doing business with his brother Rick as Savage Land Development LLC, presented the plan to the Bethel Planning Board last Wednesday.

Following some initial confusion at the meeting regarding the developer's standing (the result of inaccuracies in the town's tax maps) the Planning Board accepted the application as complete.

The finding of completion is an initial step in the board's formal review process, which will resume at their regular meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 28, and will continue on Feb. 11 with a site walk (3 p.m.) and a public hearing (6:30 p.m.). Abutters are welcome to

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Dennis Jellison with his Llewellyn setters, Daisy Mae and Kaina. His Setters Point private hunting preserve sits on 215 acres in Albany. The view here is looking west toward Bell Mountain and the White Mountain National Forest. (Photo by Alison Aloisio)

## Latest attraction for visitors: year-round hunting

By ALISON ALOISIO

Dennis Jellison and his Llewellyn setters, Kaina and Daisy Mae, are out to make a living on their private hunting preserve in Albany. But, said Jellison, they are also teachers who want to educate both the general public and potential young hunters about the sport.

Jellison owns 215 acres at the end of the Sawin Hill Road. He bought the property, along with the 18th-century farmhouse that sits on it, about a year and a half ago.

Since then he's been developing what he says is the third private hunting preserve within a 50-mile radius.

Jellison raises ring-necked pheasant, quail and chukar partridge in pens behind the farmhouse. He buys them as chicks from a company in the Midwest.

When hunters call to reserve time on the preserve, Jellison takes adult birds, often numbering between one and two dozen, and places them in thickets and other natural hiding places on his property. About 35 acres are designated as hunting area.

And contrary to what some people may conclude, he said, the birds are not "sitting ducks" for the hunters.

"These birds are very skittish of people," he said.

His only interaction, prior to releasing the birds, is feeding them, he said.

Once they're hiding in a thicket, the odds of a hunter shooting them are the same as in the wild, he said.

The hunting dogs find the birds, point, then flush them. "The birds are fast flyers," said Jellison.

**'It's good for [youngsters] to know guns can be used for something other than what they see on the news every night.'**

MAINE GUIDE DENNIS JELLISON

The only advantage for the hunters, he said, is that they know they're more likely to find a bird in the first place.

Because it's a private preserve, hunters can hunt any time of year, not just during bird season. Hunts are usually a half day long. He only allows three guns at a time on the property, and all hunters must wear orange.

He also posts his boundaries to let people know there is private hunting going on.

A variety of clients

A Maine native who lived in Waterford before buying the Albany property, Jellison is a master Maine guide who has hunted all his life.

Before this venture, he was a project manager for a lighting company, traveling all over New England.

He has been cultivating his hunting business through contacts with other area sporting businesses, as well as lodging places.

Last fall, for instance, a flyer in a nearby restaurant brought him several bear hunters who had gotten their bear, and were looking for something else to do.

Then there's the other end of the spectrum. "We get a lot of beginning shooters," he said.

Last summer, about 40 campers from a nearby boys' camp came over to try shooting at clay targets.

Young people, he said, are particularly adept at learning to shoot. "Almost all kids play video games," he said, "and it's all eye/hand coordination."

Jellison said he finds it particularly satisfying to teach the campers, many of whom live in the city or suburbs, about shooting.

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## Greenwood manager to retire

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Greenwood Town Manager Carol Whitman has decided it's time to slow down a bit and play a little more golf.

Whitman informed the selectmen Monday that she plans to retire. No firm date has been set, but Whitman said she hopes to be able to leave by mid-June.

A Vermont native who now lives in Norway, Whitman became town manager in March of 1998.

"I arrived right after the ice storm," she said.

The move to the Town Office was a short one for Whitman, who for the previous 15 years had worked across the street at Gilbert Manufacturing. Her last position at the company was controller and office manager.

When the time comes to leave, Whitman said, she'll miss the work and, especially, the people of Greenwood.

"I really enjoy the work itself," she said, "but the best

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## These days harassment at school is less likely to be overlooked

By ALISON ALOISIO

The SAD44 School Board last week approved an updated policy for defining and dealing with harassment and sexual harassment of students.

It's an issue that has generally been increasingly discussed and dealt with during the past decade or so, but that does not necessarily mean harassment itself is escalating, local officials said.

Because students are becoming more aware of what constitutes harassment, they are more willing to report it, Supt. Dave Murphy said.

"It's a good thing if they're willing to come forward," he said.

As described in the policy, "harassment includes, but is not limited to, verbal abuse based on race, color, sex, religion, sexual orientation,

**'In cases of harassment, repeat offenders, or students who simply refuse to cooperate, could face suspension or even expulsion.'**

ancestry or national origin, or disability," while sexual harassment "includes but is not limited to unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors or pressure to engage in sexual activity, physical contact of a sexual nature, gestures, comments, or other physical, written or verbal conduct that is gender-based, that interferes with a student's education."

Shawn Lambert, principal of Telstar middle and high schools, said there have been between five and 10 formal complaints of harassment incidents between students so far this year, all of them in the middle school.

"We try to respond to them within 24 hours," he said.

Not all of the complaints turn out to meet the legal definition of harassment. In some cases, "it's rudeness or bullying," often involving name calling, Lambert said.

In either case, school officials may issue a detention to the offending student, Lambert said, but they also try to educate both the student and his/her parents on the need to be sensitive to others.

In cases of harassment, repeat offenders, or students

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## Planners: town has only limited authority over rock crushing, composting operation

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Noise, dust, traffic, hours of operation, and the safety of a buried natural gas pipeline were the major concerns of a handful of neighbors who turned out for last week's public hearing on a proposed wood-waste processing, composting and rock-crushing operation planned for a site near the intersection of Route 26 and the Paris Road in Bethel (just west of Locke Mills village).

The Bethel Planning Board, which held the meeting, could not offer specific reassurances to the neighbors — in large part because the Maine Department of Environmental Protection, not the town, will have the primary responsibility for overseeing the site.

"The state has more power over this process than the town of Bethel does," said

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Lucien G. Roberge, Superintendent

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# Letters

## CHIEF IS A PROFESSIONAL

To the Editor:

I have been reading recently about Police Chief Darren Tripp and his difficulties with the Town of Bethel. Based upon my experience with Darren during personal family situations, he has been firstly professional, and secondly very kind and supportive. He enforces the law fairly, but not with arrogance or malice. He will give someone a break, but not by breaking the law.

In my opinion he does a difficult job with professionalism, understanding and graciousness. I sincerely pray that God's will shall prevail during this upheaval and that both Chief Tripp and the town leaders can reach an amicable, or at least fair, resolution to this matter.

Thank you, Darren, for a job well done.

Chris Larson  
Bethel

## GET MORE INVOLVED, SELECTMEN

To the Editor:

I read in the Sun-Journal Jan. 12 about the 47 rules for the Bethel Police Chief. I don't believe that the rest of our town departments such as the fire, ambulance and road crew are being held as accountable as the Police Dept. has been in recent months. If they were, they could not get their physical work done by complying with 47 additional rules, some of which aren't even established policies. Our working department heads should have limited paperwork involving spreadsheets, etc., as they are most effective out in the field versus behind a desk.

It seems that most of the problems lately are with the town manager and the police chief. I believe conflicting personalities of the two are costing the taxpayers because lawyers are now involved, it is counterproductive and projects a negative image of our town and its citizens. It is common knowledge that the town manager's goal is to rid the town of a police department. That didn't take place last June so he is working to rid the department of the chief because he won't tear up tickets or play political football with the administration.

I personally feel that our selectmen are not involved enough in personnel issues. The current administrative policy excuses this so they close their eyes and ears so they can be an effective appeals board if it comes to that. If they were involved, chances are these types of issues wouldn't escalate to the proportions they are currently. The court system is the ultimate appeal anyway, our legal bills would be less, six heads are better than one, even a split board would be better than current policy. I suggested to the selectmen once that two of them should get involved with the police department issue and leave the other three (which would be a quorum) to be the Appeals Board, they briefly discussed it but declined to accept my suggestion.

To my knowledge the selectmen have not acted to change current policy so that they can get involved. I urge the taxpayers of Bethel to request the selectmen to get the policy changed and get involved.

I feel that Chief Tripp's side of the story is restricted in the papers. He was advised by his attorney at the time not to respond and tell his side. I think that this makes it look like he has done something terrible and is trying to hide it. I urge the citizens to keep an open mind and hopefully Bethel can get back to business soon.

Robert Blake  
Bethel

(Editor's note: the letter writer is the stepfather of Bethel Police Chief Darren Tripp.)

## CHANGE POLITICAL LANDSCAPE

To the Editor:

On Sunday afternoon, Feb. 8, the Republican Party of Bethel will hold its 2004 caucus at 4 p.m. in the meeting room of the Town Office on Main Street. Every two years political parties in towns across this nation hold meetings to elect officers and committee members. This is how the party system in our country works. Towns who participate can then help elect candidates for offices when, God forbid, the incumbent dies in office or resigns.

Too many people in this day and age are turned off from politics because they feel powerless to change things. Politics are local. To begin to change the political landscape, we have to start here and now. You can't sit back because the special interests will get what they want and that may not be what you want. Special interest groups run our state and the federal government. It won't change until we all get involved.

I urge all Republicans and other interested Independents and Democrats to attend our caucus. The town clerk will be at the town hall to register all voters who are not currently registered in this area or registered in any party or who might want to switch parties.

If we all get involved on the local level we can begin to change the political landscape.

Alvin L. Barth, Jr.  
Bethel

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## WISH IT COULD HAVE BEEN RESOLVED OTHERWISE

To the Editor:

Imagine living next door to a neighbor with an identical home. Imagine it's the same in every way, identical floor plan, square footage, construction, even the lot is the same size. And imagine that your home is appraised and taxed at two and a half to three times that of your neighbor's home right next door.

Imagine that after you bought a home for \$150,000 the next day it is appraised and taxed at two and a half to three times more based on the appraiser's belief that, someday, your home might sell for as much as \$500,000.

Sound fair? Sound outrageous? You bet — but that is exactly the situation we, and our timeshare owners have been faced with over the past few years.

We hoped that by patiently and consistently presenting our case, to the town and the property tax appraisers, a reasonable solution would prevail without the need of taking legal action.

After all, fair is fair. Bethel is a small community, so who needs lawyers when reasonable people can simply work this out for ourselves.

Unfortunately, minds were made up, abatement requests were filed then promptly denied and nobody wanted to listen. At that point we and our timeshare owners had two alternatives: 1) either keep paying property taxes that are two and a half to three times that of our neighbor's or 2) take legal actions which are costing all of us a great deal to right these obvious wrongs.

I say "all of us" because win or lose, as one of Bethel's biggest taxpayers, we will ironically pay a large portion of the town's legal fees.

It is unfortunate that it has come to this. An enormous waste of resources that could be better spent on jobs and the public good will be spent on legal fees. Penalizing our resort, the owners and most of all the hundreds of current Bethel taxpayers (as well as the new timeshare owners) who will patronize all our businesses and recreational facilities is wrongheaded, mean spirited, and simply does not pass any test of fairness.

While it is still unclear how much will be spent by the time this issue is settled, one thing is for sure: the law firms will do just fine.

We truly wish it could have been resolved otherwise.

Allen Connors  
General Manager, The Bethel Inn

## BIG MAINE TREES GOING, GOING ...

To the Editor:

When people think of forests with big old trees, we usually think of the West Coast. Here in New England, trees are naturally shorter, and loggers have been cutting the forests for hundreds of years, so many people think we never had big, old trees, or, if we did, they are now all gone.

Fortunately, that is not the case — yet.

Scientists from the Manomet Center for Conservation Sciences have recently found that stands of old trees still exist, scattered throughout the vast industrial forest of northern Maine. These are stands of trees ranging from a few acres to hundreds of acres in size that contain some trees 100 to 200 plus years old.

Scientists call these stands of big, old trees "late-successional" forest. These forests have not been significantly changed by fire, blow downs or harvesting for many decades.

Although no one yet knows how many big, old forests still exist in northern Maine, the ones that remain are rapidly disappearing. Manomet scientists predict that these stands will be functionally eliminated from the working forest within five or 10 years unless something is done to conserve them.

The reason these old forest stands still exist, sprinkled throughout the northern half of the state, is because they were last cut more than a half-century ago, and then only for a few tree species that had market value at the time. Today these stands have trees well over 100 years of age that survived the last harvest.

But times have changed. Now all tree species have market value. Now virtually every acre of Maine's forest is accessible by logging roads. Now, many timber companies believe that it is a losing proposition to grow trees past 70 years of age. And thus, these stands left over from another time have been vanishing, quietly, without notice.

Fortunately, ecologists are beginning to understand the special ecological qualities of old forests in New England. In Scandinavia, many plant and animal species are threatened or endangered because of the loss of older forests. Many of the most vulnerable species are not charismatic, or even recognizable but they are critical to a healthy forest. They are mosses and lichens and fungi that seem to prefer to grow on large, old, living and dead trees.

Over the past 50 years, harvesting practices in Maine's North Woods have tended to take the older trees, leaving a younger forest — what some have dubbed a "teenage" forest. In these younger forests species that depend on big, old trees become threatened, then endangered, and begin to disappear from the landscape. In addition to the ecological problems, creating endangered species can create a whole new set of challenges.

To their credit, some of Maine's major forest landowners have provided initial funding to Manomet, to develop an index to help foresters identify older forest stands in the field. To use the index, foresters will need to learn about a handful of easily identified mosses and lichens. They will then be able to "score" the stand indicating whether it contains a lot of the characteristics of a big, old forest or only a few. Once foresters have scored the stand, they can adjust harvesting plans to avoid harvesting high-scoring stands, or cut them in a way that protects the value of the stand.

Although we have had many battles with the forest industry in Maine over the years, some of which continue today, I am hopeful on this particular conservation issue.

The rest of this story, of course, is yet to be written; the outcome will depend on the fate of Maine's remaining old forests in the next few years. Hopefully, we will be able to say: going, going — saved.

Catherine B. Johnson  
North Woods Project Director,  
Natural Resources Council of Maine

## Birch Woods

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participate in the site walk as well as the public hearing.

An application for Birch Woods has also been submitted to the Maine Department of Environmental Protection, according to Darryl Brown of Main-Land Development Consultants of Livermore Falls.

Brown, who made the formal presentation to the Planning Board, said a decision from the DEP is expected in two or three months.

The documentation submitted for the project last week is extensive. The DEP application — which forms the basis for the application to the town — is four inches thick and contains 25 sections.

The fee for the Bethel application, \$3,100, was paid at Wednesday's meeting.

Access and exercise Access to the subdivision will be by a road located where a private driveway (see photo below) currently meets Route 2.

The one-mile road servicing the individual properties will be built to town specifications, Brown said, but the developers intend for it to remain a private road.

The road will be maintained by the property owners association, he said, and membership in the association will be mandatory for those who purchase lots.

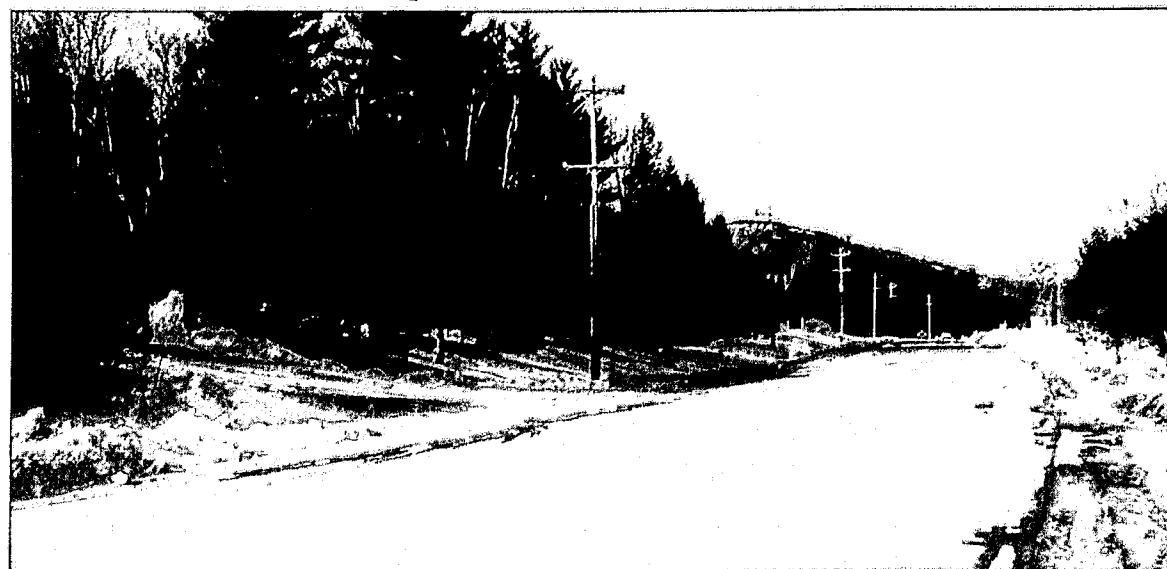
Utilities lines will be run underground, Brown said.

One amenity of the development will be a half-mile walking path, which will follow easements through several of the properties.

Much of the route will pass through the natural, wooded buffer between the developed portion of the parcel and Twitchell Brook.

Savage said the path would appeal to the upscale retirees he sees as a potential market for the development.

"A lot of interest in Bethel is from retired, active seniors, and they want a safe place to recreate," he told the board.



DEVELOPMENT ENTRANCE—The entrance to the proposed 31-lot Birch Woods subdivision would be located where the private driveway to the left meets Route 2, about a mile south of the Sunday River Road. The sight line to the north, shown here, is 960 feet, which is 30 feet short of the state-mandated minimum. Developers say the state has agreed to waive the difference, and they plan to ask the town, which follows the state requirement, to do the same.

(Photo by Michael Daniels)

# Our Back Pages

Compiled by JOHN K. BROWN

10 years ago: The Bethel board of selectmen approved design drawings and specifications for a new town garage, salt/sand shed, as well as plans for the relocation of the ambulance garage, all in conjunction with the Bethel Station Project on Cross Street.

Mundt-Allen Post 81, American Legion, was canvassing Bethel, Albany, Mason, Gilead, Newry and Upton for names of all veterans who had served in the nation's officially declared wars and other conflicts. The post desired to establish an honor roll monument.

Temperatures of -40 degrees were reported and snow removal was hindered by the breakdown of equipment.

Birth: Richie D. Osgood Jr.

Deaths: Richard P. Hutchinson, Raymond C. Foster Jr., Richard T. Maguire, Thelma Merrill, Donald R. Tyler, Theodore A. Young.

20 years ago: Twenty-four students, members of the Telstar High Language Club, and eight adults were busily preparing for a ten-day trip to London, Paris and Madrid in April.

Francis Friel had entered the U.S. Air Force and was receiving basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas.

A television camera crew was filming a 30-second commercial for Oakhurst Dairy at the Sunday River Inn.

30 years ago: Kelley's Auto Parts was occupying the former Steve's Garage on Mechanic Street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Von Zintl and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Andrews, who were spending the winter in Largo, Fla., had recently enjoyed a seven-day, four-island cruise in the Caribbean.

Airman Reginald L. Bailey had completed Air Force basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas.

Pastor and Mrs. Ralph E. LeBlanc and son, Jason, were residing on Bridge Street. Mr. LeBlanc was the new pastor at Bethel Church of the Nazarene.

Births: Benjamin Glen McIntyre, Douglas Howard Marston.

Deaths: Laurance Sidelinger, Herman A. Bennett.

40 years ago: It was announced that the combined music and drama departments of Gould Academy would present the musical "Brigadoon" in the spring, under the direction of James Owen and Frank Vogt.

Alton Howe of Bethel had been appointed as an Oxford County deputy sheriff.

Airman Third Class Walter E. Grover had graduated from the technical training course for new members of the Air Force Medical Service at Greenville AFB, Miss.

Birth: Velora Faye Kimball.

Deaths: Mrs. Virginia Merrill, Mrs. Grace W. Doyen, Mrs. Mary Ida Vail.

50 years ago: Clifford "Joe" Hillier was president of the Bethel Lions Club.

Lt. Donald Lord had reported to Fort Banks, Winthrop, Mass., following completion of a course at the guided missile division of the Antiaircraft Artillery School at Fort Worth, Texas.

Paul Fossett scored 22 and 21 points in successive basketball games. Gould Academy lost both contests, 50 to 40 to South Paris and 55 to 33 to Old Orchard.

Birth: Audrey Sue Jordan.

Deaths: Freeman Chaplin, Mrs. Maud Irvine, Parker J. Conner.

60 years ago: Alfred J. Fortier, science teacher at Gould Academy for two years, had completed his work at the academy and gone to Bangor High School as a science instructor.

70 years ago: Paul C. Thurston was elected president of the Rumford Falls Trust Company.

80 years ago: The A.F. Chapman house in Mayville was destroyed by fire. Household furnishings were saved.

90 years ago: Fred B. Hall was driving the Upton stage for C.H. Davis.

100 years ago: Warren Emery had a crew of 25 men working in the woods in Ketchum (Riley Plantation).

Very cold weather was reported with lots of drifting snow.

The snow roller was used on Bethel streets and roads for the first time this winter.

Death: Augustus L. Grover.

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## Briefly

### Mill building collapses, burns

**RUMFORD** — A 100-year-old maintenance building at the MeadWestvaco paper mill collapsed and then burned Tuesday morning. Area residents heard an explosion about 4:30 a.m., and then saw flames that quickly climbed to 100 feet above the structure. About 100 firefighters from eight towns responded to the fire. Two mill employees were treated and released from Rumford Hospital after they suffered smoke inhalation. No other injuries were reported, but more than 300 mill employees were evacuated. The fire was brought under control by about 9 a.m. The building collapse was attributed to a buildup of ice, and the explosions to acetylene and oxygen tanks stored there. The mill was back in operation later in the afternoon. Authorities said it was fortunate the collapse happened at the hour that it did. At 8 a.m., maintenance workers report to the building.

### Local boys in XGames

**ASPEN, Colo.** — Three young men with Bethel connections will compete in Winter XGames VIII, beginning this weekend at Aspen Ski Resort in Colorado. The games are televised on ABC and ESPN. Gould Academy graduate Thomas Parsons of Bethel will compete in the Snowboarder X event against 20 other riders. He qualified by virtue of a first-place finish in the Open Class of the U.S.A. Snowboarding Association (USASA) Nationals. Another Gould grad, Aidan Payson of Freeport, will be one of 20 snowboarders to compete in the Snowboard Slopestyle event. He qualified as the 2003 USASA Open Class Champion. Telstar senior Simon Dumont of Bethel will compete in two skiing events, the Ski Slopestyle (20 competitors) and Ski SuperPipe (16 skiers). Dumont qualified for the first event with a fourth-place finish in the Freeze competition of the U.S. Freeskiing Open. He is a Wild Card entry in the SuperPipe. The finals of the events will take place while live television coverage is planned (Saturday from 1 to 3 p.m. on ABC; Sunday from 3 to 6 p.m. on ESPN; and Tuesday from 9 to 11 p.m. on ESPN). Other XGame events include snowmobiling and MotoCross. For more information on the Winter XGames, visit <http://expn.go.com/expn/winterx/2003/index>.

### Fire destroys trailer

**BETHEL** — A morning fire last Tuesday destroyed a trailer on the Annis Road owned by Ruel Swain. The tenant, Jeremy Irons, was not at home when the fire broke out around 7:30 a.m., according to Jim Young, Bethel fire chief. Firefighters from Bethel, Newry and Greenwood responded. Young said a space heater had been in use at the home, but he did not know if it could have caused the blaze.

### Voters surveyed on Town Meeting

**WEST PARIS** — Selectmen are waiting for the results of a survey sent out to residents asking them when the annual Town Meeting should take place. Until 1996, it was held on the first Tuesday of March. But it was changed to Saturday that year, because a statewide referendum coincided with the usual day. The meeting has been held on Saturdays since. The issue came up for discussion last year, when some residents who celebrate the Sabbath on Saturday asked the meeting be changed back to Tuesday. Selectmen voted then to make the change, and put an article on the warrant asking voters their preference. But last month the current board reversed that decision. Then this month, they decided to send out the survey, which is due back in the Town Office Feb. 2. When the results are determined, the date for the 2004 meeting will be announced.

### Newry man wins sweepstakes

**NEWRY** — Nicholas Lambert won a FleetBoston Financial eight-state quarterly sweepstakes last week, in the form of a \$20,000 certificate of deposit. His name was drawn from about 25,000 entries from Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Connecticut, New York, Rhode Island, New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

### July 4th events discontinued

**RUMFORD** — A street festival and fireworks display that has brought thousands of people to the area for the past eight years will be discontinued. The Moontide Water Festival Committee announced last week it would disband. Some members have said the effort required to raise the \$25,000 needed to fund the event is too much.

### Teen dies in cabin fire

**MINOT** — A fire that destroyed a log cabin last Saturday claimed the life of a 19-year-old woman, according to state officials. Danielle Damon's body was found in the rubble of the structure after the fire was extinguished. Firefighters did not realize anyone was inside, but they said the cabin was fully involved in flames when they arrived. Damon had worked the night before, and was apparently asleep when the fire broke out. Officials said it was unlikely the cause could be determined, because there was no evidence left. Damon's boyfriend, James LeCompte, 21, was out trying to find wood for the woodstove, the officials said. The cabin's furnace had broken down Friday.

### Small earthquake in granite state

**HENNIKER, N.H.** — A minor earthquake rattled southern New Hampshire Tuesday, prompting dozens of calls to police from residents worried about everything from explosions at their homes to terrorists. "There was a major shaking and loud, loud, loud boom," said Patricia Finnerty, secretary at the Hopkinton Police Department who answered many of the calls. "We haven't heard of any damage. Just a lot of scared people." The U.S. Geological Survey said the quake, at 12:11 p.m., was a magnitude 2.2, and was centered 15 miles west of Concord, in the Henniker-Hopkinton area.

### Skiers survive night in cold

**KILLINGTON, Vt.** — Two Massachusetts teenagers who skied out of bounds at Killington spent a frigid night in the woods last Wednesday before one hiked to safety and the other was spotted by a helicopter and rescued, cold but alive. Trevor Orlowski, 18, of East Freetown, Mass., suffered from frostbite to his feet. Brent Romagnolo, 19, of Assonet, Mass., was treated at the hospital for frostbite and later released. "It's amazing they made it out," said Mendon Constable Ted Pratt. "It's one of the coldest nights we've had in years." The two got lost on the back side of the mountain at about 1:30 p.m., and their families in Massachusetts called authorities around midnight, said Lt. Donald Patch, head of the Vermont State Police search-and-rescue team. About two dozen search-and-rescue personnel conducted a search. Around 3 a.m. the Vermont National Guard was called. The temperature was 26 degrees below zero. Romagnolo walked out of the woods at about 5 a.m., Patch said. Gregg Stahle, who lives near the mountain, said he was asleep when he heard a scratching sound on a window and went to check it out. "I thought maybe it was a cat," he said. Instead, he found Romagnolo, wearing a thick winter jacket, ski pants and boots, and frost-covered gloves, shivering outside.

### From the Bethel Police Log:

Wednesday, Jan. 14

At 9:45 a.m. police heard a loud explosion from the area of Church Street. The officer checked the area, and initial observations were negative. He spoke with a subject who was trying to start his truck. The subject said the truck had backfired.

At 10:15 a.m., while on the way to the courthouse in South Paris, the officer observed a car parked on Route 26 in South Woodstock with its flashers on. Because of the severe cold, the officer stopped and checked for occupants. There were none, and he reported the vehicle to the Sheriff's Office.

At 3:14 p.m. police received information on two male subjects wanted by the Rumford Police Department. One was armed with a handgun and the other with a metal pipe.

Friday, Jan. 16

At 4:28 p.m. police responded to assist the Bethel Fire Department with a report of smoke in a West Bethel Road residence. The officer and the resident found the smoke was coming from the furnace, which had a burned transformer. The officer stood by while a thermo check was done.

At 4:49 p.m. police responded to a vehicle fire. When the officer arrived, the fire was already out, and no one was injured. He provided traffic control for the Fire Department.

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## Whitman

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CAROL WHITMAN

thing about the job is the people. Greenwood is a wonderful town to work for."

Well, not all the time. Whitman, who is no shrinking violet, readily admits there is one time of year she dreads -- the Ides of March, which bring the approach of Town Meeting.

Part of her job is to open the meeting, and here stage fright raises its ugly head.

"I just can't do it," she said. "I go deaf, dumb and blind. I can't read; I can't do anything."

Despite this once-a-year handicap, Selectman Ivan Roberts said Whitman would be hard to replace.

"She's a great lady. Not one person in town can say she hasn't given her all to the town," Robert said. "You just can't find them like that."

Fred Henderson, chairman of the selectmen, said the board will work with Whitman to develop a process for finding a replacement.

Whitman is only Greenwood's second town manager. The first, a Massachusetts woman, Liz LaValette, was appointed in March 1996 but served less than a year before being indicted in the Bay State for stealing \$40,000 from the town where she had previously worked.

It was later found that in her short stay here LaValette had found time to embezzle \$20,000 from Greenwood.

## Hunting

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"It's good for them to know guns can be used for something other than what they see on the news every night," he said.

Jellison said he stresses gun safety with the youngsters from the start.

He said he also gets many father/son customer combinations, and the son is often inexperienced.

And, said Jellison, many of his clients come only to shoot the clay targets. "There are a lot of people who like to shoot, but not hunt," he said. He also offers other activi-

ties and services on his property.

He will train hunting dogs for clients. And a stocked trout pond provides an opportunity to fly fish.

Anyone interested can check him out on his Web site at [www.setterspoint.com](http://www.setterspoint.com), or call 824-8824.

For people wanting to know more about the sport in general, or who may have concerns about it, Jellison suggests e-mailing him.

"I'm willing to answer questions (on people's views), good and bad," he said.



**SUCCESSFUL HUNT**  
Guide Dennis Jellison (right) with a satisfied Massachusetts client and his bag of two ring-necked pheasants.

## Harassment

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who simply refuse to cooperate, could face suspension or even expulsion.

Parents also have the option to seek a temporary restraining order from a court to keep an offender away from their child.

But, emphasizes, Lambert, that is a separate

and "parallel track" from the school's role.

Murphy said school officials and staff "try to be proactive. But it's also up to the student to work with them, and let them know if their voices aren't being heard."

## Bright New Idea Department

### Vending machine delivers wood to those who don't care to cut their own

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During a snowstorm four years ago, Judy Halsey of Platteville, Colo., had a hankering for a crackling fire and a quiet night at home.

She sent her husband, Len, to the store to pick up a bundle of firewood. They lived in an apartment and didn't have space to store large amounts of wood.

When he arrived at the store that snowy eve, the store manager was restacking the firewood on the sidewalk. Soggy firewood was placed off to the side so customers could take the dry wood at the center.

"When people want wood, they don't take the wood off the top," Len Halsey said.

"People want dry wood."

Halsey, seeing the store manager's problem, wondered if there was a way to keep firewood dry while keeping it accessible to customers.

Today, Halsey is president of The Wood Box Inc., a company that manages his invention: a machine that dispenses firewood on demand. His first Wood Box is located at an apartment complex in Longmont.

"It's kind of like a candy machine that drops wood," said apartment manager Sandy Swenson. "This is a large benefit to the residents: to get wood and not have to leave the property."

The Wood Box machine is powered with solar panels. It costs nothing to have the unit on the property, Halsey said. He restocks the wood more than once a week.

When a customer pays \$4 for a wood bundle, a light shines above one of the machine's 16 small doors. The customer opens the door and removes dry firewood from the compartment.

Each vending machine holds 148 bundles of wood. There is a mechanism inside that senses when more wood needs to be sent down ramps into empty compartments.

Halsey, 64, said he doesn't

expect one machine to pay for his retirement, but several might.

"A machine isn't going to make you rich, maybe \$800 to \$900 a month," he said. "But if you have 10 of them out there ... If you have 100 of them, the numbers go berserk."

Halsey has been building and fixing things all his life. He fixes his own cars and tractors. When he was younger, he was an electrician. A few months ago, he finished building the first Wood Box machine with his own two hands on the farm near Platteville, where he and his wife now live.

He is currently negotiating a deal to manufacture more machines. Several ski resorts, including Vail, Aspen, Steamboat Springs and Keystone, have expressed interest, Halsey said.

"In the spring, when firewood season is over, I'm going to bring units to campgrounds," he said. "Some areas are very interested."

But Halsey is concerned that the company will not have the finances to continue expanding.

"At this point in time, I'll own the machines and stock them myself, but if I can't raise the money privately, I'll sell the machines," he said.

## Hearing

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Planning Board member Jan Baker. "If the DEP is overseeing it, that's wonderful. It means that they're the watchdog over their part of it. They're doing their job and we can just hope to look into your concerns as best we can, but they have the ultimate say."

Board Chairman Al Cressy countered: "On the other hand, if we feel it's within the ordinance purview we can be stricter than the state. But," he acknowledged, "I think usually we bow to the DEP for that."

DEP has already approved the operation, which will be located on up to 35 of the site's 57 acres. But Daryl Brown of Main-Land Development Consultants, who presented the application for owner Keith Durgin, told those present that most of the activity will be confined to six acres near the center of the parcel, in order "to mitigate any possible impact to neighboring properties."

To further mitigate the impact, Brown said, earthen berms will be placed around the boundaries of the operation and around the rock crusher.

But Bird Hill resident Ed Yasko worried about noise rising above the operation, unimpeded by the berms.

Bird Hill Road runs along a ridge near the site. "Noise has a tendency to drift up," Yasko said, and crushing

rocks and grinding stumps "is a pretty noisy business."

The planners indicated that noise is an issue they will look into, and that the final conditions of approval for the operation will probably include decibel limits and restrictions on hours of operation.

Other nearby residents worried about the possible effect of vibrations from heavy trucks and the rock crusher on the nearby Portland Natural Gas Transmission System pipeline.

A letter from PNGTS to Main-Land regarding the project called for the digging up the fill over the pipeline where trucks would be crossing it and replacing it with material of a specific nature. But Cressy was also worried about vibrations from the crusher.

He suggested Main-Land write PNGTS and ask for another letter, "to make sure they know they are dealing with a rock crusher."

As for traffic and its various impacts, including noise, Baker said this was another area where the town would have to yield to the state's oversight, or lack thereof.

"Unfortunately there is no state standard for traffic," she said. "We just have to accept it for what it is. It's oftentimes unfortunate, but it's something we have to live with."

## Got children? Check this credit

The tax credit for child and dependent care expenses you pay so you can work or go to school went up in 2003. Both the credit percentage and the amount of eligible expenses increased. The maximum credit is now 35% of up to \$3,000 of expenses you paid for one child and \$6,000 for two or more. For details or assistance with your 2003 tax filing, contact us.



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## Bethel



by  
Virginia  
Keniston

Correction:  
Charlie Blake  
is in rehab  
at Market  
Square in

South Paris (not Ledgeview).  
Muriel Butters returned home Monday after visiting with Lt. Col. Tony Butters and family in O-fallon, Ill.

Ivan Morey is a patient at Maine Medical Center where he had aneurism surgery. Donald Brooks underwent surgery at St. Mary's Hospital, Lewiston, on Tuesday, Jan. 20. Doris Ouellette is at Norway Rehab. Stuart Cross is a patient at the Veterans' Home in South Paris. Sherry Rose is a patient at CMMC in Lewiston.

The Red Hat Ladies will meet at the Phoenix Restaurant at Sunday River on Wednesday, Jan. 28 at 6 p.m. Contact Jan Stowell by the 26th if you plan to attend.

Melody Bonnema spent eight days attending "Intensive Foundation" at the Maine College of Art in Portland. There were 16 students in the course. While there Melody stayed with Janet Richardson, formerly of Bethel.

Amy Davis, on Saturday, attended the women's invitational track meet at the University of Southern Maine at Gorham where Lindsay Davis ran the 600 and the middle distance relay. There were four other colleges participating. Andy Davis of North Berwick also attended.

Winners for the area Duplicate Bridge game last Friday were: first, Carol Curran and Suzanne Dame; second, Woodrow Mercier and Les Buzzell; and third, Sue and Bob Crane.

## Andover



by  
Joan  
Stinson-Carney

The Kings-  
ton Trio's  
song "Charlie  
on the MTA"

starts out with the words: "These are the

times that try men's souls." Well guess what? These are the times that try men's and women's souls. If I ever complain about the weather next August, you have my permission to shoot me. It's only the middle of January and I am so, so, so sick of winter already. I really truly hate snow, ice, and cold, bitter winds especially when I don't have the money for a ticket to a warmer place. Oh well, it could be worse, couldn't it? Couldn't it?

The following list of people need your kind thoughts, prayers, and in some cases get well cards. Former Andover resident Nancy Bailey Young, who now lives in Bethel, has just had major surgery. Former Andover resident Robert Akers, who also lives in Bethel, is fighting cancer. Orville Meisner of East Andover is at home recuperating from surgery, and Andover resident James Littlefield and East Andover resident Arthur Hutchins will be having surgery soon.

I attended Rex Thurston's funeral last Saturday. I want to thank the Reverend Jane Rich for her words of wisdom. They were very comforting for me, because I lost my husband, John, to ALS fourteen years ago. He was the same age as Rex when he died and Rex's passing brought back so many memories for me. Just listening to Jane helped me so much. Thanks, Jane.

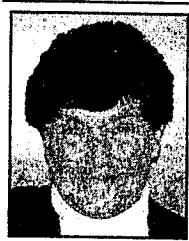
I am really getting excited about the upcoming Bicentennial Winter Carnival Weekend. Things are coming together nicely, thanks to the hard work of the committees, especially Barbara Hayden, Leon Akers, and all the other members. Make sure you are around for the 28th and 29th of February to enjoy it all.

There is still time to take out nomination papers for selectman and SAD44 School Board representative. We have a different thing happening this year. There are two candidates running for the selectman's position. Laura Hutchins, the incumbent, and Jerry Savitch, who has courageously thrown his hat into the ring. Usually we are lucky to have one person agree to run, so it ought to

be an interesting election. The only comment I'm going to make is "Let the best man win." (Selectman, get it?)

Speaking of elections, and I know I shouldn't, because talking about politics is a big no, no with me, but I'm sorry, I am so sick of the Presidential Election already I can barely stand it. The ads that they show for the New Hampshire Primary voters should stay in New Hampshire don't you think? Why should we Mainers have to see them? Don't they know we have borders for that purpose? And tell me, do you really care how people in Iowa feel? I mean it isn't even an election there, just a lot of poor people being overwhelmed by politics. I'm beginning to feel that the game of Eeeny, Meenie, Miney, Moe might be a good thing right about now. (Just kidding.) How about Ted Kennedy giving up the chance to personally see the Pats win their way to play in the Super Bowl, so he could politic for Kerry? Talk about loyalty. Oh by the way — Go Pats. See 'ya.

## Upton



by  
Eleanor  
LeComte

Ten above  
zero feels like  
a heat wave  
after a week of  
20 to 30 below.

The Upton Strollers, accompanied by their dogs, now are back strutting their stuff on the road. The icy winds of the past have left us temporarily making for a more comfortable existence.

The snowmobilers are back out in force. Trails were used by many over the weekend. Errol was a "madhouse" of snowmobilers.

The State Line Snowmobile Club held a round (square) table meeting at the Ladies Aid Building on Saturday, Jan. 17. Nineteen members were present. Several new members were welcomed into the group. It promises to be a fine organization for years to come. The club members wish to thank Simone Lavallee for having the hall cozy and warm on a cold Upton night.

The Cards and Pool Group chose the Eagle Mountain House in Jackson, N. H., for brunch on Sunday, Jan. 18. The brunch was more like a dinner, with many delicious dishes served. Those attending were Sue and Larry Nelson, Gene and Sandy Wixom, Joy Yarnell, Richard and Ellie LeComte and Liz and Walter Stanczyk. Liz Stanczyk organized the occasion. The Eagle Mountain House is a grand old hotel situated in a very scenic area. There were many cross-country skiers of all ages enjoying the countryside.

Evelyn and Jim Kenney have returned from a midwinter trip to beautiful downtown Haynesville, where if you sneezed they could hear you in Houlton. It is that quiet.

The deer are ever present and have become quite an attraction at 4 p.m. Onlookers have learned to come slowly down the hill to avoid making the deer bolt.

The doe with the tumor (or abscess) on its cheek is faring very well. Her eye is open now. She manages to get in and get her share of the apples and deer chow. The doe with the broken foreleg seems to get around as well as the others, but I'll bet those howling coyotes have their eye on her. The "Boss," that big buck, is more or less a loner. The other bucks respect his violent kick that says "don't mess with the big guy."

The birds had a very rough time in the cold last week. The doves huddled in front of the garage door puffing up their feathers. The chickadees could care less as they make repeated visits to the feeder. Around noon the squawking blue jays land for their fair share, and fair they are not.

The "Bird of the Week" is the blue jay, so beautiful against the pure white snow.

## East Bethel



by  
Nancy Mercer

Alder River  
Grange will  
meet on Jan.  
23 at Lynn  
Mason-

Courtney's home on Tyler

Street with a 6 p.m. soup and the meeting at 7 p.m.

Roger and Louise Twitchell, Millie Jackson and Dot Bartlett attended the Bethel Senior Citizens Club meeting at the Sudbury Inn on Jan. 14.

Victor Coolidge hosted a boiled dinner on Jan. 18 with his daughters, Sarah, Jessica and Victoria, and Earl Coolidge, Mary Bean and Arthur Hertel as guests.

Neil Olson attended a baseball convention recently at Mohegan Sun in Connecticut. A very fast way of losing your money was provided. He won.

Hopefully the very cold stuff is gone. Have a nice week. God Bless the Troops.

## Hanover



by Clem  
Worcester

Another week  
has slipped by  
with cold tem-  
peratures

dominating activities in the area. Once again the daily highs were more like -10 and the lows reported have been as low as -24. Brisk winds blew the cold into homes making the living room feel like the inside of the refrigerator.

Frozen water pipes have been a common complaint along with automobiles that do not start or run very well.

One young lady complained that her car heater didn't work, so her old man had to take her to work in his truck.

Most everyone has been staying right at home to avoid the cold weather, so there is not a lot of news to report. We have not heard of any fights or even many complaints.

A few snow squalls have kept the snowplows working and the road at times have been slippery. Tuesday night and Wednesday morning rapidly dropping temperatures along with snow flurries caused slick roads resulting in several automobile collisions and rollover accidents in the area.

Barbara Kaulback reports that she is feeling better and is pleased to be home again. She has expressed appreciation for the get-well wishes and other assistance she had while ill.

## East Stoneham



by  
Eleanor  
Nelson

Hi readers.  
Are you keep-  
ing warm  
these days  
and nights?

We are now, since we got Marcel to thaw us out and keep the heat up a bit higher.

I am having fun learning the computer, thanks to son Genie. I didn't think he would have the patience with me, but he has so far. I think he will need a lot more. Anyway, so far so good.

There is not much news this week, except the weather, which has been really cold and freezing.

I heard today that Thelma Dadmun is home from the hospital. Also, Carole Nelson is home from the hospital.

Matthew Nelson and Molly Nelson have been home from their studies in Boston and will soon be going back to them.

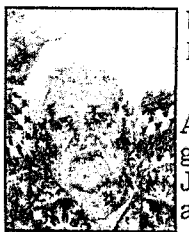
Troy and Eric Nelson and friends went to the Nelson's camp at Wilsons Mills this past weekend. They found it pretty cold, but good traveling.

Ice fishing has started and the icehouses have appeared on all the lakes. That's a fun sport, but hope they all will be extra careful.

Johnny Files from Oxford called on Frances Grant on Sunday and helped do a few chores for her.

Albert Nelson found a receipt the other day where he worked 40 hours and his paycheck was \$38 from C.N. Brown Co. I think it was year 1950. How would you like to survive on that?

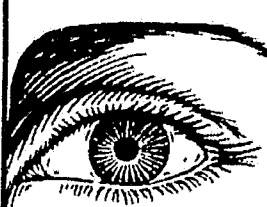
## Greenwood City



by  
Rena Curtis

Another week  
gone by and  
January is  
already half  
gone. We sure

are having it cold, especially where the wind has blown so hard. We have had our water pipes freeze up and our water pump froze, but we all got



## The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

Sharon Bouchard's column is published by special arrangement with the Advertising Department of this newspaper.

The political season is officially underway. I know, it seems like it has been going on for quite some time, but the Iowa caucuses this week actually marked the kick off for the campaign for the office of the President.

The Republicans and Democrats won't really square off until the conventions are held in the summer, but that certainly won't prevent all parties involved from taking pot shots at each other.

And, of course, the political talking heads on all the various radio and television talk shows will do a lot more than take a few cheap shots at all the various candidates. They cruise along on the non-election years trying to sound like authorities with all the answers. Along comes an election year and any solid facts will be twisted and bent, denied or dismissed if necessary to suit their needs. As Ronald Reagan once said, "Facts are stupid things."

The alternative party candidates are as of yet unknown, but there will be some presidential hopefuls surfacing later in the season. I have no doubt that there will be someone running as an Independent, a Green, a Libertarian and probably a few newly formed parties to make things a little more interesting.

Children are often told at a young age that they can grow up to be President of the United States and this year there will be a good number of adults who will try to do just that.

What I don't quite understand is why anyone wants to be the President. It has to be one of this country's worst jobs and it's temporary at that.

By the very nature of the two plus party system everyone that didn't vote for you will be against you before you're even sworn in. If the West Wing is at all accurate, the hours are terrible. Your private life is put on hold until you are no longer the President and everything you say becomes public information and recorded for history.

I know the office of the President is the most powerful in the country, but that much power is an awesome responsibility. Bill Clinton is quoted as saying, "Politics gives guys so much power they tend to behave badly

around women." I think he learned that to be true.

Sometimes the President has to use his position of power when it's necessary to impose a mandate on the people as in the case of Ronald Reagan when he said, "There is a mandate to impose a voluntary return to traditional values." I think he was being sincere when he said that and as Harry S. Truman said, "Always be sincere, even when you don't mean it."

The President and the Vice-President have to know a lot about a lot of different things. The economy, for example, is very complicated for anyone to understand, but the top two in office have to know a lot more about it than the average person. Past Vice-President Dan Quayle showed that he had a very strong grasp of the U.S. economy when he said, "We lead in exporting jobs." He was right about that of course. And Calvin Coolidge made a very true and astute statement when he said, "When



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more and more people are thrown out of work, unemployment results."

Ronald Reagan addressed the unemployment issue in a speech by announcing, "Now, we are trying to get unemployment to go up, and I think we are going to succeed."

Dan Quayle had a tremendous amount of faith in the first President Bush's ability to deal with a failing economy. He said, "The President is going to lead us out of this recovery. It will happen." He was right about this too.

During the Eisenhower administration the country enjoyed a pretty stable economic situation and no one appreciated that more than Dwight Eisenhower himself. He was very proud to tell the American people, "Things are more like they are now than they ever were before."

George W. Bush understands what an important role the oil industry plays in stabilizing the

economy and is very concerned about it. In a speech about the need to increase the production of domestic oil President Bush said, "It is clear our nation is reliant upon big foreign oil. More and more of our imports come from overseas."

At least President Bush the younger has a good handle on the budget and understands one when he sees it. "It's clearly a budget. It's got a lot of numbers on it." A lot of numbers indeed.

A President has to be honest that's for sure. We know that George Washington could not tell a lie and Abraham Lincoln was nicknamed Honest Abe because of his honest reputation. We also know that there are dishonest people that do make it into government as Richard Nixon so succinctly pointed out when he said, "Sure there are dishonest men in local government. But there are dishonest men in national government too." I guess he knew what he was talking about.

Bill Clinton was very honest when he was asked if he ever used marijuana. He confessed that he had tried it once in college but qualified it a bit by saying, "I didn't like it and I didn't inhale." And President Bush the younger was extremely honest about his younger days when asked about a drunk driving charge in Maine. "When I was young and irresponsible, I was young and irresponsible." He also said "I think we can agree, the past is over." And so it is.

Now it's time to move on to another Presidential election. We will be bombarded with campaign ads by a lot of candidates making a lot of promises that can't be kept. It is not as simple as the candidates make it sound and they cannot do most of what they think they can.

Being the President of the United States is the hardest and most thankless job in the country. The way I see it a person has to be a bit off to even contemplate going into public office at all. Dan Quayle put it better than anyone when he said, "People that are really very weird can get into sensitive positions and have tremendous impact on history." And so it goes.

Author's note: All quotes are real and taken from "Foolish Words," by Laura Ward.

## Super Crossword MANE EVENT

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thawed out finally.

Ann Holt visited her Aunt Colista Morgan at South Paris Saturday and said she was well. Ann also had dinner with her folks, Leonas and Fay Holt, on Sunday.

Glenn and Lillian Straight of Pownal, Barbara Black and Kevin Curtis of Norway and Ray and Cheryl Curtis visited me over the weekend. Tim Curtis and friend, Darcey, were here one evening.

I've had a lot of birds at the feeders. Ray and Cheryl set up another feeder for me.

My daughter, Evelyn Heikkinen, called me and said it was cold up there. She lives in Rumford.

Albert and Marie Curtis went up to Stratton Sunday to visit their nephew and family. Raymond and Cheryl Heikkinen. They said they saw a lot of deer.

Quote of the week: "Teachers open the door but you must enter yourself."

That's it for now. Have a safe week and keep warm and well.

## West Paris



by Bertha DeHaas

Greetings from a very frigid West Paris.

It was -20 degrees again this morning. Brrr is the only word to describe these temperatures. I guess AAA has really been busy starting cars and taking new batteries to others. It sure is hard on vehicles when it is this cold. Makes us older folks remember what winters were like when we were growing up. Think we'll all be thankful when spring arrives. The seed catalogues have started to come in and oh, how good those flowers and vegetables look. It gives us hope.

Back on Dec. 30, I had the privilege of going to the home of Aili Benson to visit with and photograph five generations, namely great-great-grandmother, Aili Benson of West Paris; great-grandmother,

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The Phoenix House and Well, at Sunday River Ski Resort, offers two restaurant/bar combinations under one roof. The Well, on the first floor, features a lounge menu with choices such as burgers and chicken tenders. Upstairs is the Phoenix House, where the roof-to-cathedral-ceiling windows look out on the slopes of Sunday River. Phoenix offers a fine dining menu that include steak, fresh seafood and rack of lamb. Manager Phil Everett describes the atmosphere as "casual fine dining, with an emphasis on good quality food and good quality service." He hopes to attract a clientele of both tourists and local people by offering flexibility in menu and pricing. There will be beer and food specials on most weekends. The full lounge menu is available every night until midnight, seven days a week, and the bar is open until 1 a.m. every night. Phoenix House and Well opened at Christmas for the winter season. Everett said he anticipates PHW will open for summer seasons sometime in the future, and also be available for functions such as weddings and receptions. (824-2222)

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Maurise Benson Veatch, also of West Paris; grandmother, Tamara Mitton of Oakdale, Conn.; mother, Shannon Milton-Talbot of Methuen, Mass. and baby, Annalyse Talbot of Methuen, Mass. Also visiting that day were Holly and Alexandra Mitton of Waterbury, Conn. It was great to see all of you again and baby Annalyse is positively beautiful. Congratulations.

On Wednesday, Jan. 15, West Paris Baptist Church held their annual meeting preceded by a bountiful supper at 6 p.m. in the dining hall. As we had much business to conduct, we were in session until late. Thanks go to all who brought food for supper and helped clean up after our meeting. During the meeting we set up our budget for the ensuing year and planned what work to do on our church this year. We have many projects in the works for the coming months. Many thanks to all of you who worked so diligently this past year for the good of both the church and the community.

On the first Monday in

March the West Paris Baptist Church will host the Western Area American Baptist Association with a supper at 6 p.m., meeting and program to follow. We are all looking forward to an active and productive church year, what with Sunday School, Youth Group, Daily Vacation Bible School, as well as the Easter Cantata and Maundy Thursday programs and a few concerts.

West Paris Baptist Church officers for 2004 are as follows: moderator, Pastor Bruce Tyner; clerk, Cheryl Bacon; treasurer, Sandra Broberg; assistant treasurer, Jean Tyner; board of deacons, Tom Standard, Dave Broberg; board of deaconesses, Jean Tyner, Mary Alice Standard, Sandra Broberg; board of trustees, David Broberg, Betty Jones, Wayne Penley, chairman; Bible School director, Mary Alice Standard; Sunday School superintendent, Jean Tyner; board of Christian education, Mary Alice Standard, Jean Tyner; board of missions, Mary Alice Standard, chairman, Ken Bacon, Bertha DeHaas; kitchen committee,



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Please note a few changes in our church scheduling. Sunday: morning worship at 9:15 a.m., Sunday School preschool through kindergarten at 9:45 a.m.; Sunday School grades one through six at 10:25 a.m.; evening worship at 7 p.m. Monday: diaconette meeting the first Monday of the month. Tuesday: Ladies Fellowship meeting the fourth Tuesday of the month. Wednesday: Tea and Toys Time bi-weekly at 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.; adult choir Wednesday evenings; Wednesday Bible Study and prayer at 7 p.m.; church business meeting the third Wednesday.

The West Paris Grange 298

meeting scheduled for Jan. 15 at my home was changed to Jan. 22 due to the extremely cold weather and illness. If Mother Nature is more agreeable, will see you at my home at 7:30 p.m. on Jan. 22.

Hope to see you all next week. Keep well, keep warm and drive safely.

## West Paris



by Joyce Lamb

The sun porch made it up to the freezing mark today with the sun shining brightly. This is the warmest it has been for a month. Last year it did not go below this mark. The drive is still snow and ice. Usually a day of sun will melt it all away. Friday afternoon, as I am writing this, the snow is blowing briskly around the house and across the road. Last week, when I drove to Norway, I hit two whiteouts on Route 26. It has been way below zero degrees for so long

that the walking group has not been out for over a week. What a winter.

Of my five amaryllises three are budded. The dark red one has three buds on one stem that will open any day. They did not bloom in time for Christmas but will be extra special with the snow for a background. I do not understand why some bloom and some do not. They are all treated the same. Three of them were my mother's and moved in with me in 1986. All of the bulbs appear healthy.

Ivan Proctor has been discharged from Stephens Memorial Hospital and is recovering at Market Square Nursing Home. He expects to go home in a short time.

Arlene Farr is at the Norway Rehabilitation Center in Norway and would appreciate cards from her friends.

On Jan. 25, at the West Paris Universalist Church the Rev. Joy Gasta will speak on "The Golden Rule, Part II. What Are Your Stories?" Church is at 9 a.m. with Jim Burke as organist.

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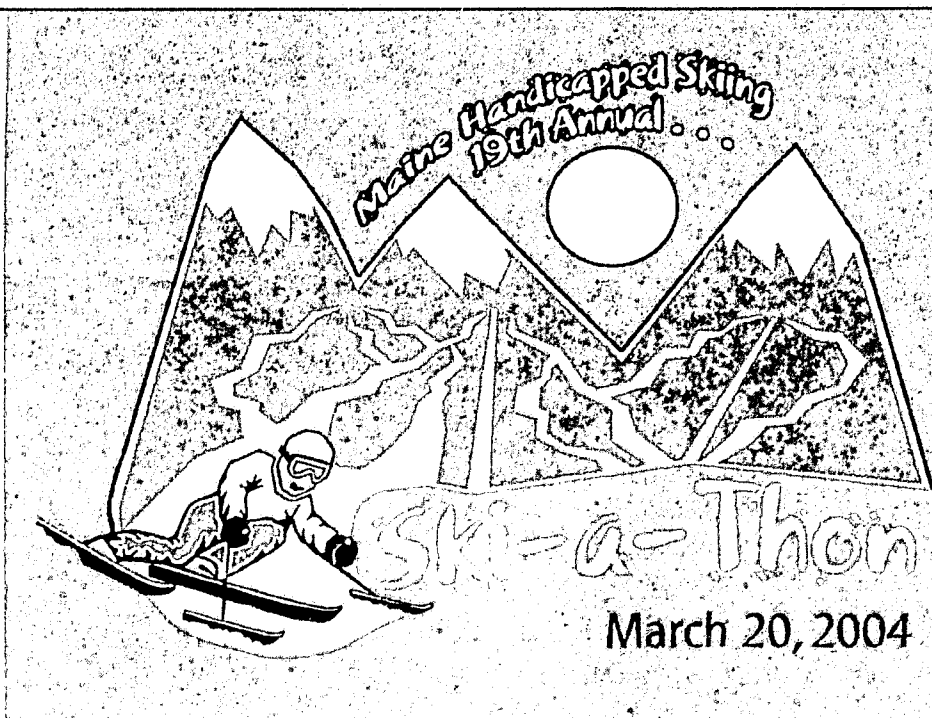
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p.m., the women's group of the Universalist Church, the Goodwill Fellowship, will meet for a potluck supper at Joy Gasta's. The monthly meeting will follow and Pokeno will be played.

Cabin Fever weekly meetings are being planned. They will be held at the Universalist Church on Thursdays from 1 to 3:30 p.m. starting on Feb. 5. The community is invited. There will be games and puzzles and a different craft each week. The first week will be making a quilt square, then Origami, Tai Chi for seniors and whatever one wants. Snacks are available.

The book discussion group will meet at the West Paris Library on Feb. 4 to review the book "Cold Mountain" by Frasier. It meets at 6:30 p.m. and surrounding communities are also invited.

Buffy is still hibernating. He does go out for a few minutes but returns quickly to the back door.

## Bryant Pond

by Alice Hoyt  
Judith Grover Tent 17, Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, met

on Monday evening, Jan. 12, at the home of Alice Hoyt. Nine members were present. Installation of officers was held with the following officers being installed: president, Elizabeth Hoover; senior vice president, Marybeth Hoover; chaplain, Elena Noyes; treasurer, Alice Hoyt; council member number one, Helvi Cary; number two, Beatrice Farnum; patriotic instructor, Sally Sawyer; secretary and press corp., Alice Hoyt; guide, Helvi Cary; guard, Michelle Cary; color

bearer number one, Althea J. Cary. Installing officer was Alice Hoyt, P.D.P.

Next meeting is Feb. 9 at Alice Hoyt's with Beth and Marybeth on refreshments. Each one is to bring a homemade card. Helvi received the mystery package. The president presented gifts to installing officers. Twenty-four calls were reported. Refreshments were served by Helvi and Michelle Cary.

Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School and Adult Bible Fellowship at 9:15 a.m., morning worship at 10:30 a.m., choir practice at 5:15 p.m. and evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m. is prayer meeting. Thursday at 9 a.m. is Ladies Bible time.

There will be a Senior Citizens meeting in February. It will be at the Town Annex. For the potluck dinner, bring a hot dish, salad or dessert plus your own place setting. Helvi Cary is having the program. Meeting starts at 11:30 a.m.

Franklin Grange No. 124 met last Saturday, Jan. 3. The next meeting will be Feb. 14, with a potluck dinner at noon. The program is Valentine's Day.

At the January meeting of the Woodstock Historical Society, John Hathaway spoke on canning jars or fruit jars. He sells them on E-bay and ships them everywhere. He says size and color affect value. A mistake on one also increases value. Some 100 years old sold for \$1,000 and the most valuable he ever had went for \$10,000.

He begins selling at \$3 each on the Internet. However, Ball and Atlas jars bring very little and are sold in bulk. He often ships UPS. The next meeting will be at the Town Hall Conference Room and will feature a video, "Light Spirit, Light Houses of the Coast of Maine," by Jack Perkins.

## South Woodstock

by Andrea Wing  
Much sympathy goes out to the family and friends of Margaret

Tuell King, who passed away Jan. 4 in New York. Margaret was born Jan. 6, 1908, and would have been 96 years old. She studied and became a nurse and later married Hayes King and moved to New York. She had one son, Richard, who survives. She leaves sisters, Helen Estes of South Paris, Barbara Cash of Norway and Claribel Poland of South Woodstock. A brother, Gilman Tuell, died a few years ago. She was the daughter of George and Lillian Tuell and resided in this area in her teen years and moved to New York where she lived until her death.

Also, sympathy to all who knew Vera Buck. Vera lived here in South Woodstock most of her life. She leaves two daughters, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

I spent part of an afternoon visiting with my sister-in-law and brother, Joan and Phelps Poland. We got caught up on news of family, etc. Joan baby-sits her great-grandson, Logan Bru, in the afternoons

when he gets out of school. Kellie Record and I went shopping one cold, cold day. It was miserable just getting to the car from the store. Kellie has an automatic starter and started the car before we left the store so the car was nice and warm when we got in — quite a gadget.

Cold weather seems to stay around too long. It was 20 degrees below zero here this morning and others were even colder. Hope everyone is careful with fires in their homes.

Quote of the week: "I've learned that you can have a fancy education and still not be very wise."

## Waterford

by Rockie Graham  
It says volumes about

Mainers when 20-25 degrees seems like a heat wave. We all adjusted so well to the frigid below-zero weather that the 20s feel like spring. In any case, I like it best when the sun is shining and reflects off the ice and snow as if they are hiding jewels.

Hard to believe that it is already the third week of 2004. Baldacci will have given his State of the State by the time you are reading this column.

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Iowa has voted for the presidential candidate and soon New Hampshire and all the others will vote. Maine has a caucus on the 8th of February. Things are changing and yet they remain the same. Today, Thursday, the Democrats in Oxford County will hold their caucus training at the Paris Town Office. It is at 5 p.m. For more information, call 875-2116.

David and I and his friend Martin viewed Alan Day's exhibit at Fare Share Commons. It is worth looking at. He will be talking about it at the commons on Friday, the 23rd at 7 p.m. For more information, call 743-0165.

The days are getting longer and that is good news to me. I like it better when there is more light. I do not think I could live in Alaska or one of the Scandinavian countries if there is no, or little, daylight. It's not just the cold, but the light gives one a sense of well-being. I guess I'd have to be taking a lot of Vitamin D pills.

Spoke with friend Sirii for the first time in a long time.

She is starting at UMF this week. That is exciting. We all wish her well. I hope she comes down for the Mountain Poets reading next week. Mountain Poets meet on Thursday, Jan 29, at 7 p.m. at Fare Share Commons in Norway. Those needing more information can call me at 743-0583 or George at 674 2500. All are welcome, and the more the merrier.

That is all for this week. I am off to tutor and to pay a few bills. Hope all have a great week.

From the

## Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce

The flood of December 2003 was a reason to cancel several events around the Bethel area, including a long-awaited Open House/Business after Hours at Mt. Abram Family Resort. The good news is that it has been rescheduled and we invite everyone to travel

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on up to the resort on Thursday, Feb. 12, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. to meet the new management team and check out their remodeled lodge.

Many thanks to Lucia Colombaro, Jeremy Stark and the team at Deximer for a wonderful Business after Hours there last week, and to all who turned out on one of the coldest evenings of the season. Refreshments, compliments of Café DiCocoa, warmed our bellies and delighted our palates.

The chamber recently played an advocacy role on behalf of the local snowmobile industry. We wrote a letter to Rep. Arlan Jodrey encouraging him to support L.D. 787, a bill that limits the liability of caretakers of snowmobile and hiking trails. It is our hope that the governor signs this bill into law immediately.

From the

### Western Mountains Senior College

Rick Churchill will lead a snowshoe walk in the woods around the Sunday River Cross Country Ski Center on Feb. 1 at 2 p.m.

The walk is for members of the Western Mountain Senior College who would like to learn more about the woods in its winter mode.

Cost of the walk for mem-

bers is \$5, which will be collected prior to the start of the walk. Snowshoe rentals are available from the center. Interested members should call 824-3209 to reserve their place on the walk.

From the

### Bethel Senior Citizens

The Bethel Senior Citizens Club met Jan. 14 at the Sudbury Inn for their meeting and luncheon with 31 members present. President Musa Brown conducted the meeting and led the salute to the flag. Reports were given by Jane Hosterman and Arlene Lowell. The door prize was won by Martha Sweatt and the raffle by Dorothy Bartlett. The speaker was Roderick Gordon, district representative of Modern Woodmen of America, which is a nonprofit organization. They have insurance for senior citizens, also investment programs.

The next meeting will be Feb. 11 at the West Parish Congregational Church. The meeting will start at 11 a.m. and the price of the dinner is \$6. After the meal, members are invited to Gould Academy to see the play, "You Can't Take It With You," by the Drama Club. There was a discussion on where to hold the May and December meetings.

January birthdays are Donald Bennett, Mary Coltonick, Rudi Honkala, Jean Hutchins,

Davene Mitchell, Wilbur Mitchell, Margaret Quinlan, Clara Rolfe and Drew Webster.

From the

### Bethel Outing Club

Sunday was a great day of skiing at Black Mountain. The Maine Bill Koch Group said it was their largest race ever at Black Mountain, probably due to all the local Rumford, Mexico, Andover, and Bethel folks that were there.

There were about 60 participants total. Thanks to all the folks who headed over. It was a very well run and organized event. It was great to see all the BOC families — Babcock-Walkers, Savages, Haberman-Fakes, Gambles, Cramptons, Southams, Zurhorsts, Coopers, Keanes, Fessendens, etc.

Rob Yorkobaskas publishes a weekly state BKYSL newsletter in either e-mail form or hard copy. The cost is \$5 for e-mail and \$7 for hardcopy for the season. He publishes all race results as well as photos, stories, etc. His e-mail address is ryogy@aol.com and he is always interested in photos, ideas, or stories if you had some.

Fun at the Sunday River Inn — Dave and Kirk had a nice group at the Sunday River Inn: Rachel, Molly, Kendra, Andrew, and Zoey classical skiing and Elliot skating with Garry Grigel (Kirk's friend

from Portland) and his son, Kyle, who is 9 but quite tough (skied the Rangeley 25k last year).

This week's schedule:

Wednesday, 3:30 p.m. at the Bethel Inn — the Telstar Middle School team may join us. Brad Clarke would like to classic ski Wednesday, but hasn't confirmed it with Telstar Middle School coach Steve Keane yet.

He would like to teach the kids how to kick wax their combi or skate skis in order to classic ski. The race on Sunday in Farmington is a classic race, so it will be great to get some practice in. If you have fish scalers, you could bring them as well.

Sunday local recreational option — 1 p.m. with Dave Bean and others at Carter's Cross Country Ski Center in Bethel. Dave's phone number is 824-0369 if you have questions, or weather concerns.

Sunday away race option — 12 noon, BKYSL Race at Titcomb Mountain in Farmington. Registration: 11 a.m. to noon. Classic style only. Adults may be interested in the Pine Tree Pursuit Race (1 a.m.), which is at Titcomb that same morning at 10 a.m. This race has two 5k legs in it (1st skate, then classic).

After your 5k skate you are seeded in the classic pursuit leg. The BKYSL race (noon) will follow the adult race at 10 a.m. (skate) and 11 a.m. (Classic). Clarke will head over early on Saturday, probably around 8 a.m. If anyone wants to carpool, etc., give him a ring. The BKSL race is \$5 for kids as usual.

Here's the info off the Nensa site: 1/25/04, Pine Tree Pursuit Titcomb Mountain, Farmington Event Info: Same day pursuit. Mass start skate

and classic pursuit start for Jr., Sr., and Masters. Start time: 10 a.m. skate, 11 a.m. classic. BKL event, 12 noon. Registration: \$16 by 1/17/04 and \$20 after/DOR. Checks to: Titcomb Mountain Ski Educational Foundation. Mail to: Farmington Ski Club, PO Box 138, West Farmington, ME 04992. Contact: (P) 778-9031.

From the

### O.C.R.S.W.C.

During the month of December, 2003, OCRSWC processed the following:

Shipped 108.75 tons of material at an estimated sale value of \$6,077. Estimated cost to trash the same 108.75 tons of material — \$9,243.75 (based on average tipping and hauling fee of \$85 per ton).

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Shipped 63.92 tons of news, magazines and junk mail at an estimated sale value of \$3,505. Estimated cost to trash the same 63.92 tons of news, magazines and junk mail — \$5,433.20.

Estimated avoided cost for December — \$15,320.75. It pays to recycle.

From the

### Oxford County Democrats

The Oxford County Democrats will hold their Presidential Preference Caucus meetings on Sunday, Feb. 8, between the hours of 1 and 8 p.m. at locations throughout the county. County Democrat-

ic Chairperson Cathy Newell has released the list of caucus meetings, times, locations and convenors.

In the Rumford and Bethel areas, towns have opted to caucus on a regional basis, while other towns are holding their meetings in their individual municipality.

Participation in the Democratic Caucus is open to registered Democrats. However, unregistered individuals or unenrolled voters may register and/or enroll at their town office by the close of business on Friday, Feb. 6, or on Feb. 8, immediately prior to the opening of the caucus on-site.

Those enrolled in another political party must change their enrollment prior to Jan. 23 at their town office to be eligible to participate. Caucus meetings have been scheduled in:

Albany — Telstar High School, 4 p.m., Allison Rosenblatt.

Andover — Andover Town Hall, 7 p.m., Tim Akers.

Bethel — Telstar High School, 4 p.m., Mike Broderick.

Brownfield — Brownfield Town Hall, 1 p.m., Marlee Turner.

Buckfield — Buckfield Town Office, 2 p.m., Rosita Gagne.

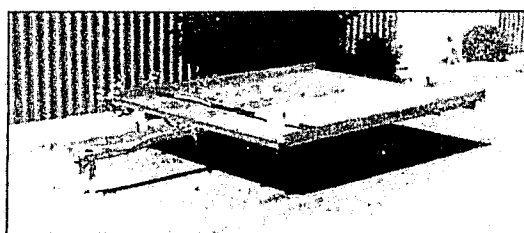
Byron — Mountain Valley High School, 1 p.m., Melissa Plourde.

Canton — Canton Municipal Building, 3 p.m., Margery Sudday.

Denmark — Denmark Library, 2 p.m., Kathy Banks.

Dixfield — Mountain Valley High School, 1 p.m., Bruce Bryant.

Fryeburg — American Legion Hall, 2:30 p.m., Myra Bethell.



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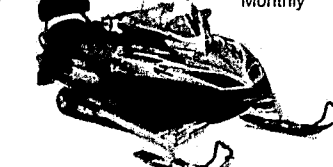
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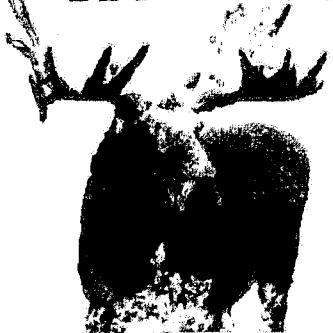
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**Hanover** — Telstar High School, 4 p.m., Shirley Powell.  
**Hartford** — Hartford Town Hall, 2 p.m., Arlene Nason.  
**Hebron** — Hebron Fire House, 2 p.m., Charles and Lynn Lids.  
**Hiram** — Porter Town Hall, 4 p.m., Janice Campbell.  
**Lovell** — Lovell Town Office, 2 p.m., Toni Seger.  
**Mexico** — Mountain Valley High School, 1 p.m., Joe Derouche.  
**Milton** — Telstar High School, 4 p.m., Scott Billings.  
**Newry** — Telstar High School, 4 p.m., Wendy Hanscom.  
**Norway** — Norway Town Office, 1 p.m., Hilary Ware.  
**Otisfield** — Otisfield Town Office, 3 p.m., Maureen Howard.  
**Oxford** — Oxford Town Office, 1 p.m., Joe Flanders.  
**Paris** — Paris Town Office, 1 p.m., John Jenness.  
**Peru** — Rockemeka Grange, 3 p.m., Bill Hine.  
**Porter** — Porter Town Hall, 4 p.m., Doug Bowen.  
**Roxbury** — Mountain Valley High School, 1 p.m., Delia Knapp.  
**Rumford** — Mountain Valley High School, 1 p.m., John Patrick.  
**Stoneham** — Stoneham Town Office, 4 p.m., Ruth Crowell.  
**Stow** — Fryeburg American Legion Hall, 2:30 p.m., Jim Wilfong.  
**Sumner** — Sumner Town Office, 1 p.m., Mark Silber and Don Berry.  
**Sweden** — Sweden Selectmen's Room, 1 p.m., Liza Baker.  
**Waterford** — Waterford Town Office, 2 p.m., Lynn Baker.  
**West Paris** — West Paris Town Office, 3 p.m., David

Walton.  
**Woodstock** — Telstar High School, 4 p.m., Mary Ellen Gartner.  
 Caucus meetings have not been scheduled for Upton, Lincoln or Magalloway. If anyone in those communities would like to convene a caucus, they may contact Cathy Newell at 875-2116. Absentee ballot information or complete contact information for convenors is available on the Maine Democratic Party Web site, [www.mainedems.org](http://www.mainedems.org) or by calling 622-6233.

From the

### Oxford County Republicans

Randy Bumps, executive director of the Bush-Cheney '04 campaign, was featured speaker at the Jan. 13 meeting of the Oxford County Republican Committee at Franklin Grange in Bryant Pond. Following a social hour and dinner, Bumps made a power point presentation on the effort in Maine to capture the state for President Bush and aid in electing Republicans at all levels in Maine. He outlined the strategies for Republican victory in November. Bumps introduced Andrew Simon, a student at Bates College and the head of College Republicans in Maine. Simon has done an outstanding job in Androscoggin County in registering Republicans. Trevor Bragdon of Bangor, Second District coordinator was also introduced. State Senator Rick Bennett (R-Norway) will serve as regional chair for Bush-Cheney. Following Bumps' presentation, a brief business meeting was held. Chair Paul Billings of Bryant Pond announced the Lincoln Day Dinner will be held at the Bethel Inn on Feb. 28, with U.S. Senator Susan

Collins as the featured speaker. Tom Winsor, Register of Probate, announced that he would be running for re-election and would be serving as e-mail chair for Oxford County in the upcoming election. Steven Merrill, County Commissioner, also announced he would be running for re-election. Diane Jackson, representing U.S. Olympia Snowe, reported on Senator Snowe's recent activities in Maine. Chuck Mahaleris, representing Senator Collins' Lewiston office, also reported on Maine's junior Senator's activities. Candidate recruitment activities were also discussed with Norm Ferguson reporting good progress. It was announced that at least two candidates would be running for the Second District nomination, businessman Bob Stone of Lewiston and Brian Hamel, president and CEO of Loring Development Authority.

State Committeewoman Becky Kendall of Bethel announced that caucus kits were now available. Feb. 8 and 29 were two days that several towns would be caucusing, but other dates would be equally acceptable. It was stressed that it was important all towns hold a caucus to elect representatives to the State Convention and to the County Committee. Representatives Heidrich, Hotham, Jodrey, Millett and Muse were unable to attend due to business in Augusta.

From the

### S.W.O.A.M.

Wood Marketing will be the topic of the 7 p.m. Jan 22 meeting of the western Maine chapter of the Small Woodland Owners Association of Maine. Les Bragdon, a log buyer from ED Bessey & Sons of Hinkley and Richard Smith from Timber Resource Group

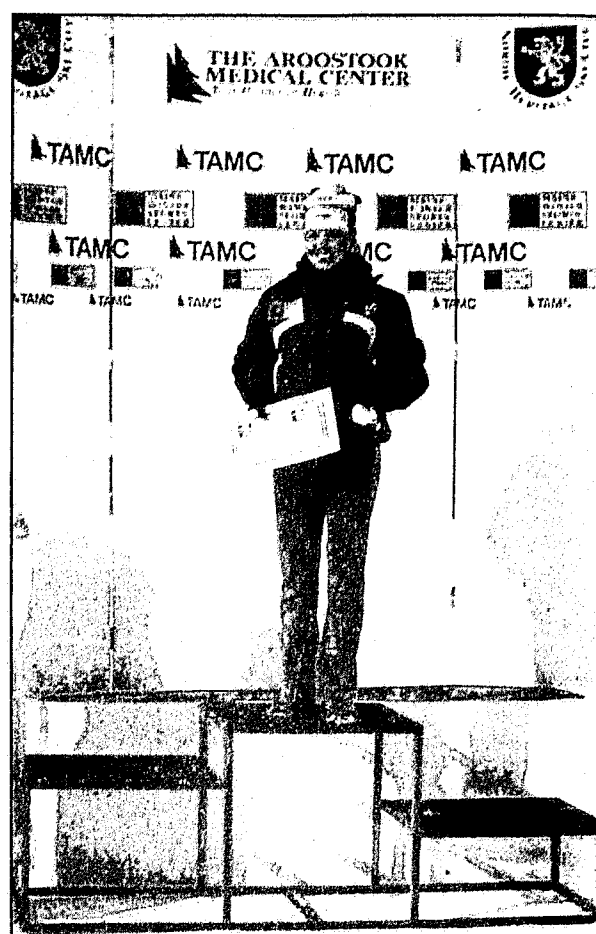
(TRG) will discuss current marketing strategies, the network of log concentration yards around the state and the end markets for various species. This is an excellent chance for small woodland owners to improve their wood marketing opportunities. The meeting, open to anyone, will be held in Room 118 at Oxford Hills High School. The room is located off the cafeteria, which is accessed by the back parking lot entrance. S.W.O.A.M. is a statewide educational organization dedicated to encouraging long-term forest ownership and management. For more information, contact chapter president Bill Haynes at 583-2963 or e-mail [forest@maine.com](mailto:forest@maine.com).

From the

### U.M.

### Cooperative Extension

A New Approach to Landscaping. Gardening and landscaping activities have a tremendous impact on the local ecology. Oxford County Cooperative Extension is offering a workshop on the Principles of Ecological Landscaping on Monday, Feb. 2, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at the Extension Office, 6 Olson Road, South Paris. The workshop will explore new ways to think about how plant choices, gardening techniques and pest control practices can improve the ecological integrity of your backyard. Pre-registration is required by calling the Extension Office at 743-6329 or (800) 287-1482. There is no charge for the workshop. Beekeeping. A three-part beginning beekeeping course will be offered on Wednesday, Feb. 18, 25 and March 3, from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at the Extension Office.



**TELSTAR GRAD NORDIC WINNER**  
 Telstar graduate Heather Zimmermann took first place in the OJ age group at the TMC Women's Classic 10k Nordic race in Fort Kent on Dec. 29. Heather skied for Telstar High School until her graduation in 2003. She now skis for the Maine Winter Sports Center in Presque Isle.

### School Lunch

Week of January 26

**Telstar and Middle School Lunches**  
**Monday:** Tuna casserole, peas, animal "snackers." Special: mushroom/cheese pizza.  
**Tuesday:** French fries, Philly cheese steak sub. Special: cheeseburger calzone.  
**Wednesday:** Turkey "parm" over pasta, tossed salad, dinner roll. Special: meat lover's pizza.  
**Thursday:** Two sloppy joes/buns, veggie sticks. Special: Italian cold cut pizza.  
**Friday:** Pepperoni pizza wrap, french fries. Special: bacon breakfast pizza.  
 Choice of milk and fresh or portioned fruit or fruit juice each meal.

### SAD44 Elementary Schools Lunches

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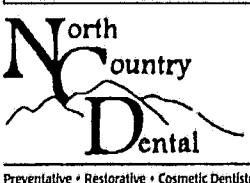
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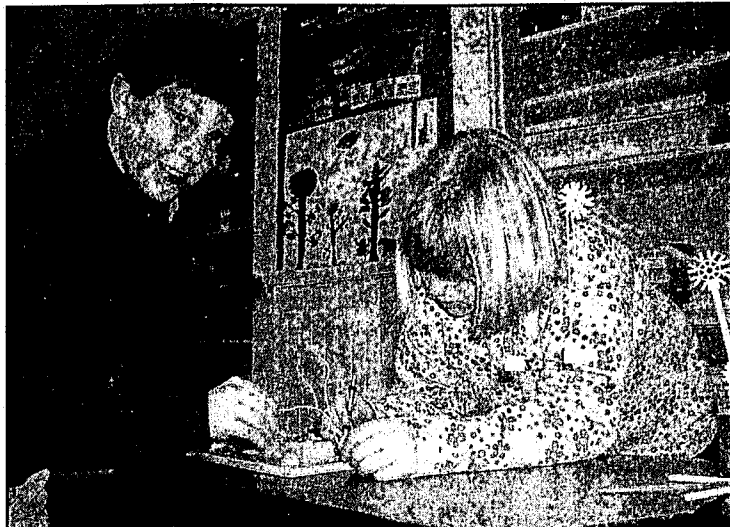
Andover Elementary School News



Kindergarteners at CPS were very excited to return to school and find their classrooms transformed into the land of dinosaurs. Pictured above are Rebecca Howard and Octavia Morin displaying their clay dinosaur replica.



Kindergarten students Brent Gordon and Kody Verrill proudly show off their dinosaur creations.



Erich Zurhorst and Kaylin Milligan test the strength of an electromagnet.



CPS guidance teacher Beth Lavallee shares the story *Land of Many Colors* with kindergarteners as they discuss the upcoming Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday.



Kindergartener Mackenzie Bragg shares a message with her teacher following the recent vacation. Using inventive spelling, she wrote: "I love you, Mrs. Sabin. I am glad to be back."



Shawn Kneeland uses a bar magnet to test for the north and south poles of the compass needle he made from a paper clip.

## Telstar Middle School Names Students of the Month for December, Holds Geography Bee



### TMS Students of the Month December '03

Left to Right:  
Michael MacKnight  
Patrick Gallagher  
Cassie Roberts  
Abby Hutchins  
Marty Donovan  
Absent: Amber Davis



Telstar Middle School held its annual Geography Bee last Tuesday, Jan. 13. 1st Place went to Kelsey Gamble and Patrick Milligan was runner up. Participants were: Mark Emerson, Kelsey Gamble, Patrick Milligan, Tucker Brown, Peter Cowan, Ben Cross, Michaela Cummings, Stephanie Savage, Korey Morgan and Jonathon Parsons. Kelsey Gamble won the Bee and will now take a written test to qualify for state level competition. High school social studies teacher, Mr. LeClerc, was the moderator for the Bee, which will be shown on Channel 4. Congratulations to all participants!

## Happening Around the District



SAD44 teachers examine the Maine Learning Results to determine standards for the Local Assessment System which must be in place by June of 2004.

## Basketball Raffle Winners

Winners in last Telstar basketball raffle were:

Stuart Longway, \$25  
Jim Largess, \$50  
Jordan Palmer, \$25  
Mandy Davis, \$25  
Bill Mitchell, \$25  
Cora Gallagher, \$25  
Julie Collins, \$25

Winners in this week's Telstar boys' basketball fundraiser were:

Cora Gallagher, \$25  
Ray Thompson, \$50  
Tammy Fleet, \$25  
Rollie Bousquet, \$25  
Ed Powers, \$25  
Scott Farrington, \$25  
Jim Largess, \$25.

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# Events Calendar

**Public Computer Access**—Hours at the SAD44 Adult Learning Center, Philbrook Street, Bethel are: Tuesday and Thursday, 9 to 12 a.m.; Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. for academic instruction and GED preparation, as well as use of the computer lab. Note: the lab is closed when there is no school in SAD44 (storm days, vacation periods).

**Seniors Lunch** every Tuesday and Thursday, 11:30 a.m., at Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street, sponsored by SeniorsPlus. Donation for 60 and older and spouses, \$2.50; all other guests, \$4. Reservations important. For information, menus, reservations, call 824-3168 (also the number to call to apply for Meals on Wheels).

**9 a.m. (Fridays)**—Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Fare Share Food Coop, 445 Main Street, Norway. All bridge players invited to attend and bring a friend or two. Refreshments. For more information, call Mimi Bell (743-8081) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@megalink.net.

**Thru Jan. 31**—“Language of Hands” photography exhibit by Sally Taylor at Owen Art Gallery, Gould Academy. Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Free.

**Tuesdays, 12 to 2 p.m.**—Watercolor class, Ruthie's Dress Shop, Bethel. FMI: call 759-1895 (toll free pager)

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## Thursday, Jan. 22

**1 p.m.**—Tri-Town Waste Committee meeting at Bethel Town Office. Primary agenda item: review plan to upgrade the transfer station in Summer 2004 to include installation of compacting unit. Presenter: Scott Hynek, PE.

**5 p.m.**—Oxford County Democrats meeting, potluck supper and Caucus Training at Paris Town Office Meeting Room, Main Street, South Paris. Snow date: Friday, Jan. 23. FMI: Cathy Newell at 875-2116 or cathynewell@megalink.net.

**7 p.m.**—SWOAM (Small Woodland Owners Association) meeting in Room 118 at Oxford Hills High School. Topic of meeting: Wood Marketing. For more information, contact chapter president Bill Haynes at 583-2363 or e-mail forest@maine.com.

**7:30 p.m.**—Oscar Lopez, powerful, fiery hot guitar, will be featured at Gould Academy's Bingham Auditorium. FMI: 824-7700.

## Friday, Jan. 23

**5:30 to 6:30 p.m.**—Roast Pork Supper at First Congregational Church, 17 East Main Street, South Paris. Tickets: \$7 for adults, \$4 for children 12 and under available at door, or by calling 743-2437.

**7 p.m.**—Conversation with Photographer Alan Day, “Transparency, Vulnerability and Truth: Art as Intimacy,” as it relates to his display at Fare Share Commons, 447 Main Street, Norway. Free and open to the public. FMI: 743-0165.

## Saturday, Jan. 24

**10:15 a.m.**—Oxford Hills Snowfest 2004 begins with snowmobile drag racing at Norway Lake near the Little Red Schoolhouse, Route 118. Sign-up from

8 to 10 a.m. Entry fee: \$15 double elimination. Food available. FMI: 743-6483 or 527-2175.

**5 to 7 p.m.**—Smorgasbord at Conway Village Congregational Church. Adults: \$7, children: \$5, under 5 free. Raffle tickets for handmade quilt. FMI: 447-3851 9 a.m. to noon.

**5 p.m.**—Concert by Galietas (a family group) at Rumford Praise Assembly of God, Andover Road. Free and open to public. FMI: 364-3856.

**7:30 p.m.**—At Oddfellow Theater, Route 117, Buckfield: The Eccentric Collection, featuring professional performers from around the world. Tickets: adults \$8, seniors \$7, children \$5 may be purchased at Northeast Bank in Buckfield or at theater box office (336-3306).

**7:30 p.m.**—Freakwitch, a folk-rock, trance-groove collective at Fare Share Commons, 447 Main Street, Norway. A six-member ensemble doing original songs written by members. \$5 admission fee at door. FMI: 743-0165 (Alan Day) or 929-3574 (Matthew Shields) or visit www.freakwitch.net.

**8 to 11 p.m.**—Old-Fashioned Dance at Locke Mills Town Hall with music by Richard Felt Orchestra. Proceeds benefit Greenwood Historical Society.

## Sunday, Jan. 25

**Oxford Hills Snowfest continues:** Snowmobile Radar Run, 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. (sign-up 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.); Chowderfest 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Little Red School House, Norway Lake (All you can eat \$6 adults, \$3 children, free under age 3; Antique Snowmobile Show 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Little Red Schoolhouse. Entries taken until 2:30 p.m. No entry fee. Sleds must be 25 years old or older. FMI: Larry, 527-2230.

## Monday, Jan. 26

**1 to 7 p.m.**—American Red Cross Blood Drive at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, Route 5, Fryeburg.

## Tuesday, Jan. 27

**9:30 a.m. to 8 p.m.**—Bake Sale at Ledgeview Living Center, West Paris. Proceeds to be divided between nursing and residential resident councils. FMI: 674-2250.

## Wednesday, Jan. 28

**10 a.m. to noon**—Cribbage at Charlotte Hobbs Memorial Library, Main Street, Lovell. FMI: 925-3177.

**4 to 5:30 p.m.**—At McLaughlin Foundation, South Paris: Translate the language of English garden design to accommodate the climate and plant materials of Maine backyards with Peter Monroe. Pre-register: \$8 non-members, \$5 members. FMI: 743-8820.

**6 p.m.**—At McLaughlin Foundation, South Paris: Enjoy a bowl



## Two great winter course offerings at the McLaughlin Garden on January 28

**Designing and Building an English Garden in Maine 4-5:30pm** Translate the language of English garden design to accommodate the climate and plant materials of our Maine backyards with Peter Monroe of Monroe Associates. Please pre-register: \$8 non-members, \$5 members.

**Seed Read and Feed - 6pm** Enjoy a bowl of warm soup and fresh bread while sharing favorite and/or new seed and plant catalogues. We invite you to bring a dessert and your favorite catalogue to share. We will have a 2004 catalogue supply from Avant Gardens, Cook's Garden, Fedco, Fieldstone Gardens, Hedgehog Hill, Johnny's Seeds, Seeds of Change, and Shepard's Seeds, to name a few. Free.

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## Thursday, Jan. 29

**7 p.m.**—Mountain Poets will meet at Fare Share Commons, Norway. Bring poems and share them with others.

## Friday, Jan. 30

**7 p.m.**—At Norway Memorial Library: Meet author Ed Rice who wrote “Baseball’s First Indian Louis Sockalexis: Penobscot Legend, Cleveland Indian.” Refreshments (peanuts, popcorn, cracker jacks). Public welcome. FMI: 743-5309.

## Jan. 30-Feb. 1

**Annual Bethel WinterFest 2004.** Fourth annual Snowmobile Show and Grooming Rodeo, third annual Radar Run, fourth annual Androscoggin River Polar Bear

Plunge, Hot Air Balloon Festival, Ice Sculpture Display, and lots more. FMI: 824-2282.

## Saturday, Jan. 31

**Bottle Drive** (new date) by the fifth grade at Andover Elementary School.

**Noon**—Fourth annual Androscoggin River Polar Plunge at Bethel Outdoor Adventure and Campground. Proceeds for Bethel Fire Department and Telstar Regional High School girls’ softball team.

**Ice-Carving Demonstration** on Bethel Common.

## Jan. 31-Feb. 1

**4th annual Snowmobile show and Radar Run** at Bethel Airport. Warm food and beverage provided by Bethel Fire Department. FMI: call Chamber at 824-2282 or Sun Valley Sports at 824-7533.

**2 to 4 p.m.**—Hot-Air Balloon event at Bethel Airport. Paid

rides available on space available basis. Call 824-2282 for more information.

## Sunday, Feb. 1

**2 p.m.**—Western Mountain Senior College members’ snowshoe walk in the woods around Sunday River Cross Country Ski Center led by Dr. Rick Churchill. Cost: \$5. Snowshoe rentals available at the center. Interested members should call 824-3209 to reserve a place on the walk.

## Thursday, Feb. 5

**7 p.m.**—At Norway Memorial Library: “Modern Times in Maine and America, 1890-1930,” will focus on changes in work and life as a result of industrialization during this time period. Roland Burns, retired history professor of Standish, will facilitate the discussions. FMI: 743-5309.

## Saturday, Feb. 7

**9:30 a.m. and 1 p.m.**—Winter in the Woods, free guided snowshoe

hikes offered by White Mountain National Forest. Experienced, beginners, and families welcome. Meet at Trailhead in Dolly Copp Campground, five miles south of Gorham, N.H. Snowshoes available to borrow or bring your own. FMI and reservations (taken morning of hike): (603) 466-2713 (TTY) (603) 466-2856.

**11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.**—Fourth annual Great Snowbox Derby at Bethel Inn Cross Country Ski and Snowshoe Center.

**7 p.m.**—Juxtapower, South African Dance Troupe, will perform at the Grand Ballroom, Grand Summit Resort Hotel at Sunday River Ski Resort. Presentation by the Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series. Tickets: \$4/\$6 in advance, \$6/\$8 at door. FMI: 824-3575.

## Support Services

### ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROJECT

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5086; 24 hour hotline 1-800-559-2927

### ALCOHOL/DRUG TREATMENT

Community Concepts' Alcohol & Drug Counseling Program is now accepting appointments in Bethel every Thursday. MaineCare welcome. DEEP certified. Call 369-0853 for appointment. Community Concepts is a non-profit organization with a mission to “help people build opportunities for a better tomorrow.”

### EXCHANGES

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday 1-4pm; Wednesday 3-7pm and Saturday, 10am-2pm.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

### MS SELF-HELP GROUP

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1:30pm at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Gould Academy. For more information, call Gale Tout at 836-2900.

### MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUP

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional, or physical illness, provides support, relaxation, and socialization. Monday 1 to 5pm; Tuesday 9am-2pm; Wednesday 9am-8pm; Wednesday 3-8pm; Friday 2-7pm; Saturday 11am-4pm. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness, same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday 8am-4pm. For more information, call 364-3543 or (800) 335-9999, or in off-hours 928-3222.

### REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

### VETERANS' SERVICES (STATE/VA BENEFITS)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9-12 noon (743-6300); Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Wednesday 9-12 noon; Lewiston (755-4590), 200 Main St., 7:30am to 4pm, Monday thru Friday, Location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15pm. Tel. 392-4841. (new members welcome).

## Library Hours

**Andover Library:** Tuesday, Wednesday, Wednesday and Saturday, 1-4:30pm; Wednesday 6-8pm. Tel: 392-4841

**Bethel Library:** Monday 9am-1pm; Tuesday, 1-5pm; Wednesday 1-8pm; Thursday & Friday 1-5pm; Saturday, 9-1pm. Story Hour Mondays, 10-11am October to May. Michelle Conroy, Librarian. 824-2520

**Crescent Park Elementary School:** Open every Wednesday evening from 6-8pm to the public.

**Hamilin Memorial Library, Paris Hill:** Tuesday-Friday 11:30-5:30; Saturday 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9pm. Tel. 743-2980

**Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond:** Tel. 665-2505. Tuesday 1:30-5pm; Thursday 1:30-7pm.

**West Paris Library, West Paris:** Monday 1:30-5pm; Wednesday 1:30-7pm; Friday 1:30-5pm. 674-2004

**Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover:** Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August.

**Upton Library:** Saturdays 9-11am

## Church Services

### ALBANY

Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Wednesdays at the church.

### ANDOVER

First Congregational Church Pastor Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10 a.m. followed by coffee fellowship. Tuesday - Sunday School 9-10:15 for children through grade 5. Produce donated to hungry families. All are welcome. Wednesday, choir practice at 6:30. All are welcome.

Calvary Bible Church Pastor John O'Keefe. Winter hours: Sunday School 9:30-10:30 a.m.; morning worship 10:45 to noon. Wednesday bible study and prayer meeting 6:30 p.m., Route 5, S. Andover. 392-1121.

### BETHEL

Bethel Alliance Church- 10 a.m. worship. Sunday school at 9 a.m.. Evening fellowship and youth ministries at 6 p.m. on Sundays. Prayer fellowship 7 p.m. on Wednesdays.

Church of the Nazarene - Pastor Chuck Mason. 9:30 a.m. Sunday School (2 hours, including recreation activities; call 824-4028 for transportation). 10:30 a.m. morning worship. 6 p.m. evening service. 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-7289 FMI.

West Parish Congregational - Rev. Daniel Johnson. 10:30 a.m. worship. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Tuesday, 8 a.m.. FMI call 824-8860.

Our Lady of the Snows- Mass - Saturday, 5 p.m. through the end of March. Pastor: Rev. Gerald A. Levesque. 743-2606

United Methodist - Geoffrey Gross, Pastor. 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.. There is also an adult study group during Sunday School.

West Bethel Union - a.m. worship and 9 a.m. Sunday School. For information, call 836-2844 or 836-2882. Rev. Earl H. Bell.

Pleasant Valley Bible - Pastor Clifford McMullen. 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship. 836-2828. Episcopal Church - Holy communion service the third or fourth Sunday of every month at 4 p.m. at 38 Chapman Street. For further information, call the Reverend Gwendyth Bohr at 824-2913.

Church of Christ - at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mills Road (Route 26), Bethel. Worship at 10 a.m. Sunday. Bible study at 11 a.m.. 824-3577 FMI.

Disciples of Christ Fellowship - 10:30 a.m. first four Saturdays of each month. Services held in the dining hall of the West Parish Congregational Church. Contact George Weber, 892-0779.

### EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish - North Waterford Congregational Church & Stoneham Congregational Church - Sunday worship services 10 a.m.

at North Waterford (through the winter). Sunday School, 10 a.m. Rev. George Frobig.

### GORHAM, NH

Assembly of God - Pastor Paul Levegin. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service 10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.. FMI 603-466-2651.

### HARRISON

Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church - Bolster's Mills Road, Harrison, Maine. Rev. Walter R. Brown, Pastor. Sunday worship at 8:45 a.m.. Church school 10:15 a.m. for kids kindergarten - grade 12. Call 583-9024 or 988-7040 for more info.

### LOCKE MILLS

Locke Mills Union - Rev. Michael Johnson. Worship will be held at 10 a.m.

### MEXICO

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints- 265 Main Street. Worship service Sundays at 10am. Pres. Peter Beeckel. 364-5881.

### NEWRY

Newry Community Church - Sunday worship service 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor. (Services in the church will resume in April).

### NORWAY/PARIS

Christian Science Society - Sunday service 10 a.m.. Wed. Testimony service 7:30 p.m.. Call 824-4099 for info or ride.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church - Route 117N, S. Paris. Pastor Tom Teichmann. Sunday morning service 9 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after.

North Paris Federation- Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service 8 a.m.. Pastor Bruce Tyner. 674-2968. Singspiration third Sunday each month alternating with West Paris Baptist Church at 7 p.m..

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers) - Sunday worship 9:30 a.m., Children's program, 9:40 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris. Call 583-2780 for more information.

Christ Episcopal Church - 35 Paris St., Sunday services at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m.; Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.; Healing service with communion 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, Rev. Anne Stanley. Call 743-6782 for more information.

First Baptist Church of Paris - On the Common at the top of Paris Hill. 10:30 a.m. worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour will follow the service. Fellowship lunch will be held the first Sunday of each month following worship. Pastor Ron Blake.

### RUMFORD

St. Barnabus Episcopal Church - Mass, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Canon Henry Male, Jr. Special holidays will be announced. Stone church at the rotary.

### RUMFORD CENTER

Praise Assembly of God - Pastor Justin Thacker. Sunday School 9:00 a.m., Sunday worship service at 10:00 a.m. Sunday prayer meeting at 6:00 p.m. Wednesday night bible study at 7:00 p.m. East Andover Rd. For more information, call 364-3856.

### RUMFORD POINT

Rumford Point Church - Sunday service, Sunday School. 8:30 a.m. Pastor Michael F. Johnson.

### SUMNER

East Sumner Congregational- Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service, 9 a.m.

### SUNDAY RIVER

Sunday River Christian Ministry - Rev. Don Coverdale. On-mountain interdenominational worship service held every Sunday during ski season. 10:30am to 11:15am. Located in "Upper Room" of River House, South Ridge area. Come as you are, for service of peace, prayer, and praise. 824-5896.

### WEST PARIS

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris - UU Rev. Jo Gasta, 9 a.m. worship (Sept. - mid-June). 674-2365.

West Paris Baptist - Sunday Worship 9:15 a.m., Bruce Tyner, Pastor. Sunday School Preschool thru kindergarten 9:45am, Sunday School Grades 1-6, 10:25am. Sunday evening worship 7:00 p.m.: Monday Diaconette meeting first Monday of the month; Tuesday ladies fellowship meets the fourth Tuesday of every month. Tea & Toys Time Bi-Weekly 9:30-11:30am, Adult Choir Wednesday evenings. Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer 7pm. church business meetings the third Wednesday of the month.

West Paris Congregational Church - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m.: Sunday School 10 a.m.

### WOODSTOCK

Bryant Pond Baptist - Rev. Ivan Hatch (interim), Sundays: Sunday School 9:15 a.m.: Adult Bible Fellowship 9:15 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesdays: Kid's hour 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting & bible study 6:30 p.m.

Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist - Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Pinkhook Meeting House (Rt. 232, North Woodstock) - Hymn Sing, last Friday of each month, 7 p.m. All welcome.

Mahosuc Mountain Friends - a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers) - Sundays, 9:30 a.m. at the Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond. Newcomers welcome. First Day School activities provided for children. Call Arla Patch 665-2224 FMI.



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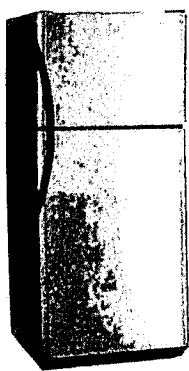
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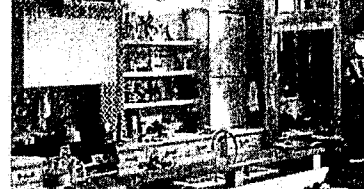
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# School Sports

## High School Boys' Varsity Basketball

Gould 73, Eastgate 60; Jan. 13 - High scorers for Gould: Whitney Stowell (25); T.J. Savage (19); Karl Olson (12); Ian Siekman (10).

Gould 61, Islesboro 34; Jan. 16.

## High School Boys' JV Basketball

Wiscasset 75, Telstar 55; Jan. 17— Telstar scorers: Ryan Kimball (13); Steve McDonnell (10); Matt Zinchuk (12); Kevin Gallagher (8); Max Meader (6); Louis Thornton (5). "Much better balance in this game, with six players making good contributions," said coach David Berry. "We were outscored 21 to 8 in the fourth quarter. We need to play well for all four quarters."

Dirigo 55, Telstar 45; Jan. 13— Telstar's Ryan Kimball and Kevin Gallagher each scored 14 points in a loss to Dirigo. Steve McDonnell had seven points and Louis Thornton six.

## High School Girls' Varsity Basketball

Gould 56, Islesboro 53; Jan. 17 - The Lady Huskies played a much more competitive game against Islesboro. Heather Kelleher had a break out game, scoring a season high 37 points, many on break-away steals from the other team. Suzi Jump contributed 9 in a solid effort at forward, while Whitney Bliss shot for five, and Hilary Thompson and Becki Carson both added a field goal each. Becki Carson also played excellent defense in the first quarter against a larger, older center, holding Islesboro's center scoreless in the first.

Telstar 42, Wiscasset 34; Jan. 16— Telstar's Chea Davis had 14 points in a win over Wiscasset. Other scorers: Abby Wentworth (8); Jillian Kimball (6); Krystle Gould (6); Liz Rosenberg (5). Davis had two three-pointers.

Gould 54, Islesboro 40; Jan. 16 - In a game wherein nearly every player scored, the Gould women notched their second win of the season after a string of very close, competitive games. The Lady Huskies did an excellent job of assisting each other with points coming from Whitney Bliss (16), Heather Kelleher (15), Suzi Jump (9), Bailey Golden (4), Maleah Piazza (4), Tamara Isham (4), and Kelley Stephens (2).

Gould 46, Eastgate Christian Academy 48; Jan. 13 - The Lady Huskies played an amazing, come-from-behind game against 8-1 Eastgate Christian. The score was 41 to 33 with Eastgate leading at the end of the third quarter, but Heather Kelleher, Whitney Bliss, and Hilary Thompson combined for 13 points in the fourth. Whitney Bliss was the leading scorer



**TEAMWORK ON THE TRAILS**—More than two dozen high schools from as far away as Bangor took part in the Telstar Relays cross-country races Saturday. Teams of four skiers each participated in boys', girls' and mixed (both boys and girls) competitions. Top photo, Gould Academy's Katrina Boelsma (81) tags teammate Owen Barter in the mixed race. Bottom, Telstar's Kayla Mills approaches the finish. (Aloisio photos)



for the team with 20 points (two 3-pointers). Heather Kelleher had 19, and Hilary Thompson (3), Eliza Van Heerden (2), and Maleah Piazza (2) also contributed points.

## High School X-C Skiing

Telstar Relays (Mixed competition), Jan. 17— Winning time: 1:00.45. Telstar team of Danna Wilson, Andy Aloisio, Kayla Mills and Peter Poor finished sixth (1:09.20). Telstar's Heather Gionet competed on a team with Dirigoski's; team finished 20th (1:20.42).

## High School Boys' X-C Skiing

Telstar Relays, Jan. 17— Winning time: 54.47. Gould team of Tim Whiton, Charles Parsons, Glen Carver and Chris Rogers placed fourth in a time of 58.33.

## High School Boys' Alpine Skiing

Leavitt Invitational Giant Slalom at Black Mt., Jan. 19— Telstar placed fifth in a 10-team race won by Mt. Blue. Winning time: 1:13.29. Telstar finishers: 5. Travis Brooks (1:16.90); 7. Adam Largess (1:18.33); 8. Jake Largess (1:18.44); 47. Tom Scotti (1:37.31).

## High School Girls' Alpine Skiing

Leavitt Invitational Giant Slalom at Black Mt., Jan. 19— Telstar placed seventh in an 11-team race won by Mt. Blue. Winning time: 1:18.25. Telstar finishers: 17. Jessica James (1:32.75); 30. Riley Gilbert (1:48.47); 32. Justine Carver (1:50.43); 33. Heather Gionet (1:55.47); 34. Margaret Duplessis (1:57.37); 39. Whitney James (2:18.71); 43. Lauren Conroy (3:00.87).

Jan. 10—Gould competed at the Eastern Cup series at Smugglers Notch, Vt. Shelley Bowen, who is the #1-ranked 15 year old slalom skier in the country, finished third and fifth for JII's. Shelley, who is also ranked #3 in the world in Giant Slalom, is turning the heads of older competitors. Rita Snow finished 38th in the last slalom race.

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3 WSBK-TV 38, Boston	10 WCBB, PBS Lewiston	17 The Disney Channel	24 Nickelodeon	31 Sci-Fi Channel	38 MTV Television	45 Home & Garden TV
4 Channel IV, Bethel	11 QVC Network	18 Cartoon Network	25 AMC	32 ABC Family Channel	39 CNN	46 E!
5 FOX Network	12 WGN, Chicago	19 CSPAN	26 USA Network	33 CNN Headline News	40 TNT	47 MSNBC
6 WCSH, NBC Portland	13 WGME, CBS Portland	20 NESN	27 A&E	34 TNN	41 FX Network	48 CNBC
7 Sunday River Ski TV	14 TV Guide Channel	21 FOX Sports Network	28 Animal Planet	35 Video Hits (VH-1)	42 The Learning Channel	49 TBS
8 WMTW, ABC Auburn	15 Court TV	22 ESPN	29 The History Channel	36 Country Music (CMT)	43 The Weather Channel	50 FOX News Channel

THURSDAY EVENING JANUARY 22, 2004										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	King	70s Show	WWE SmackDown!				News		Blind Date	5th Wheel
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "Fletch Lives"				Who's? Who's?		700 Club	
(6)	News	Seinfeld	Friends	Friends	Will-Grace	Scrubs	ER		News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Threat Matrix		Extreme Makeover		Primetime Thursday		News	
(10)	News-Lehrer		Old House	Made In	Frontline		Breaking the Silence		Charlie Rose	
(22)	NFL Live	NHL Hockey: Philadelphia Flyers at New York Rangers	Baseball Tonight				SportsCenter			
(34)	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Extreme	Extreme	Extreme	Extreme	Extreme	Spike		
(13)	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Without a Trace	CSI: Crime Scn	Without a Trace		News			
(41)	Sports	Football	Sports	College Basketball: UCLA at Stanford			College Basketball: Ore. at Ariz. St.			
(15)	"The Time Machine"		Inside the NFL	Movie: "Showtime"			Big Bounce	Taxicab Confes		
(17)	Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Movie: "Pixel Perfect"				Sister, Sis.	Boy World	Kim	Proud
(18)	"A Beautiful Mind" Cont'd	Movie: "Super Troopers"					Movie: "Ballistic: Ecks vs. Sever"		Peep Show	
(20)	NHL Hockey: Buffalo Sabres at Boston Bruins				Overtime		SportsPlus	Red Sox	NHL Hockey	
(44)	Golden	Golden	Nanny	Nanny	Movie: "A Cooler Climate"			Golden	Golden	
(5)	Seinfeld	Friends	Movie: "Wild Wild West"				Movie: "Jurmanji"			
(24)	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Sabrina	Full House	Full House	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne
(25)	"Live and Let Die" Cont'd	Movie: "You Only Live Twice"					Movie: "From Russia With Love"			
(26)	JAG		Law & Order		Movie: "Six Days, Seven Nights"				Real McC.	
(27)	American Justice		Biography		Movie: "My Cousin Vinny"				Airline	
(12)	Becker	Home Imp.	Movie: "Welcome to Sarajevo"				News		Becker	Will-Grace
(39)	Anderson Cooper 360	Paula Zahn Now	Larry King Live				NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight	

FRIDAY EVENING JANUARY 23, 2004										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	King	70s Show	Movie: "Species II"				News		Blind Date	5th Wheel
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "Beverly Hills Cop II"				Who's? Who's?		700 Club	
(6)	News	Seinfeld	Dateline NBC	Ed			Third Watch		News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Lopez	Married	Hope	Life-Bonnie	20/20		News	
(10)	News-Lehrer		Wash Wk	Maine.	Keeping Up	Time Goes	Fawity T.	Wall	Now With Bill Moyers	
(22)	SportsCtr.	NBA	NBA Basketball: Houston Rockets at Indiana Pacers				NBA Basketball: Spurs at Suns			
(34)	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Star Trek: Next Gener.				Star Trek: Next Gener.	CSI: Crime Scn		
(13)	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Joan of Arcadia	Saving Kids Like Me			Handler		News	
(41)	Sports	NBA Basketball: Washington Wizards at Boston Celtics					Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	Inside the NFL		Real Time	Movie: "The Ring"					Curb	Real Time
(17)	Barbarian	Barbarian	Movie: "Toy Story"		Barbarian	Barbarian	Barbarian	Barbarian	Barbarian	Barbarian
(18)	"Road to Perdition"		Movie: "The Wash"				Movie: "Executive Decision"			
(20)	College Hockey: Maine at Boston University				ECHL Hockey: All-Star Game				ESPNNews	
(44)	Golden	Nanny	Nanny	Movie: "Mermals"				Merge		
(5)	Seinfeld	Friends	Movie: "The 6th Day"				Movie: "The 6th Day"			
(24)	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Robot	Neutron	ChalkZone	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne
(25)	"From Russia With Love"	Movie: "The Usual Suspects"					Movie: "Army of Darkness"			
(26)	JAG		Law & Order		Law & Order		Monk		Law & Order	
(27)	American Justice		Movie: "Columbo Goes to College"				Between the Lines		Third Watch	
(12)	Becker	Home Imp.	Movie: "That Dam Cat"				In the Heat of the Night		Becker	Will-Grace
(39)	Anderson Cooper 360	Paula Zahn Now	Larry King Live				NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight	

SATURDAY EVENING JANUARY 24, 2004										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Billy Graham Crusade		Movie: "Two if by Sea"				News	Sanders	Walker, Texas Ranger	
(32)	"Summer Catch" Cont'd		Movie: "I Want to Marry Ryan Banks"				Movie: "I Want to Marry Ryan Banks"			
(6)	Maine	Seinfeld	Morgan	Whoopi	Law & Order		Law & Order		News	Sat. Night
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Bug's Life"				Monk		News	Raceline
(10)	Made In	What's for	Nature		Quest: Investigating		National Geographic	Red Green	Red Green	
(22)	Coll. Football	Ultimate X: The Movie	Winter X-Games				SportsCenter			
(34)	Ride	Ride	Extreme	Extreme	SlamBall		WWE Velocity		WWE Confidential	
(13)	Saving Kids Like Me	Star Search	Hack				District	News	Ent. Tonight	
(41)	College Hockey: Maine at Boston University				Sports		Best Damn Sports Show		Beyond the Glory	
(15)	"Behind Enemy Lines"		Movie: "Biker Boyz"				Boxing: Gianluca Branco vs. Arturo Gatti			
(17)	So Raven	Lizzie	Movie: "The Even Stevens Movie"				Barbarian	So Raven	Kim	Proud
(18)	"Nowhere to Run" Cont'd	Movie: "Trapped"					Movie: "White Oleander"			
(20)	NHL Hockey: Florida Panthers at Boston Bruins				Overtime		Breakaway	Cam Neely Night	ESPNNews	
(44)	Movie: "I Know What You Did"			Wild Card			1-800-Missing		What Should You Do?	
(5)	Movie: "Deep Blue Sea"				Movie: "Bad Boys"				Movie: "Total Recall"	
(24)	Nicktoon	Nicktoon	Grown Up	Romeo!	All That	Amanda	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne
(25)	"Hurricane" Cont'd		Movie: "Earthquake"						Movie: "Airport 77"	
(26)	Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law Order CI	
(27)	City Confidential		American Justice		Cold Case Files		City Confidential	Crossing Jordan		
(12)	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Movie: "Angels in the Endzone"				News		Fresh Pr.	American
(39)	Capital Gang		CNN Presents		Larry King Live		CNN Saturday Night		CNN Presents	

SUNDAY EVENING JANUARY 25, 2004										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	King	King	Movie: "A House on a Hill"				News	Phantom	Sanders	Pyramid
(32)	700 Club Cont'd		700 Club							
(13)	Golden Globes		61st Annual Golden Globe Awards						News	Maine
(8)	Funniest Home Videos		10-8		Alias		Practice		News	Hot Ticket
(10)	American Family		Nature		Masterpiece Theatre		DNA		Religion	
(22)	College Basketball: Louisville at Tennessee				Winter X-Games				SportsCenter	
(34)	WWE Sunday Night Heat	Henson	Extreme	Extreme	Extreme	Henson	Extreme		Unseen and Unfold	
(13)	60 Minutes		Cold Case		Movie: "Deep Impact"				News	
(41)	College Basketball: Maryland at Clemson Cont'd				Beyond the Glory		Best Damn Sports Show		Beyond	Fisherman
(15)	Movie: "The First Wives Club"				Sex & City	Curb		Movie: "Ghost Ship"		
(17)	So Raven	Lizzie	Movie: "Tarzan"				Barbarian	So Raven	Kim	Proud
(18)	Movie: "Above the Law" Cont'd		Movie: "The Good Girl"				Movie: "Eraser"			
(20)	NE Report	AHL	Outdoors	Outdoors	NE Journal	Camo Cnf	Divers	Ride	Sports	ESPNNews
(44)	Movie: "Gone in the Night" Cont'd				Division		Strong Medicine		1-800-Missing	
(5)	"Deep Blue Sea" Cont'd		Movie: "The 6th Day"						Movie: "The 6th Day"	
(24)	Robot	Romeo!	Garcia	Sabrina	Full House	Full House	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne
(25)	"For Your Eyes Only"		Movie: "Goldfinger"				Movie: "Thunderball"			
(26)	Movie: "Casino" Cont'd		Movie: "Blow"				Law & Order		Law-Order	
(27)	Crossing Jordan		Biography				Biography		Airline	Airline
(12)	Mutant X		Andromeda		X-Files		News	Replay	Mallock	
(39)	People in the News		CNN Presents		Larry King Live		CNN Sunday Night		CNN Presents	

MONDAY EVENING JANUARY 26, 2004										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	King	70s Show	Parkers	Eve	Girlfriends	Half & Half	News		Blind Date	5th Wheel
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "She-Devil"				Who's? Who's?		700 Club	
(6)	News	Seinfeld	Fear Factor		Las Vegas		Average Joe: Hawaii		News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Armageddon"						News	
(10)	News-Lehrer		Antiques Roadshow		American Experience		Feelings		Charlie Rose	
(22)	College Basketball: Texas at Texas Tech				Winter X-Games				SportsCenter	
(34)	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Star Trek: Next Gener.	WWE Raw						Henson	Extreme
(13)	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Yes, Dear	Still	Raymond	Two Men	CSI: Miami		News	
(41)	Sports	Football	Best Damn Sports Show Period		Football	Sports	Sports		Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	Movie: "Chain Reaction" Cont'd		Movie: "Men in Black II"				Wild Ride to Super Bowl		Movie: "Just Married"	
(17)	Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Movie: "Brink"				Sister, Sis.	Boy World	Kim	Proud
(18)	Movie: "Ricochet" Cont'd		Movie: "White Oleander"						Movie: "Next of Kin"	
(20)	Wild World of Winter		PGA		Fan Attic			ESPNNews	ESPNNews	
(44)	Golden	Golden	Nanny	Nanny	Movie: "A Friendship to Die For"			Golden	Golden	
(5)	Seinfeld	Friends	Movie: "Legends of the Fall"						Movie: "The Quick and the Dead"	
(24)	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Sabrina	Full House	Full House	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne
(25)	"Goldfinger" Cont'd		Movie: "The Terminator"				Movie: "Darkman II: The Return of Durant"			
(26)	Law & Order		Law & Order		Traffic				Traffic	
(27)	American Justice		Biography		House of Dreams		Airline	Airline	Third Watch	
(12)	Will-Grace	Home Imp.	Movie: "American History X"				News		Becker	Becker
(39)	Anderson Cooper 360	Paula Zahn Now	Larry King Live				NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight	

TUESDAY EVENING JANUARY 27, 2004										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	King	70s Show	One	All of Us	Next Top Model		News		Blind Date	5th Wheel
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "Anywhere but Here"					Who's?	700 Club	
(6)	News	Seinfeld	Morgan	Whoopi	New Hampshire Primary		Law & Order		News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	8 Rules	Im With	Jim	Less Than	Line of Fire		News	
(10)	News-Lehrer		Nova		Quest: Investigating		Scientific-Frontiers		Independent Lens	
(22)	College Basketball: Purdue at Indiana				Winter X-Games				SportsCenter	
(34)	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Oblivious		Oblivious		Henson	Extreme	Extreme	Extreme
(13)	Friends	Ent. Tonight	Navy NCIS		Guardian		Judging Amy		News	
(41)	Sports	Football	Best Damn Sports Show Period		Football	Sports	Sports		Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	Don't Tell	Shelter Dogs		Big Bounce	Movie: "Biker Boyz"				Curb	Sex & City
(17)	Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Movie: "The Thirteenth Year"				Sister, Sis.	Boy World	Kim	Proud
(18)	"Executive Decision"		Movie: "I Spy"				Movie: "Old School"			
(20)	NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins at New York Islanders				Overtime		Red Sox	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	
(44)	Golden Girls		Nanny	Nanny	Movie: "Gracie's Choice"			Golden	Golden	
(5)	Seinfeld	Friends	Movie: "The Peacemaker"						Movie: "Licence to Kill"	
(24)	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Oddparents	Sabrina	Full House	Full House	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne
(25)	"The Terminator" Cont'd		Movie: "For Your Eyes Only"						Movie: "Live and Let Die"	
(26)	Traffic				Traffic				Traffic	
(27)	American Justice		Biography		Cold Case Files				Third Watch	
(12)	Will-Grace	Home Imp.	Movie: "Ghost"				News	NBA Basketball: Bulls at Clippers		
(39)	Anderson Cooper 360	Paula Zahn Now	Larry King Live				NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight	

WEDNESDAY EVENING JANUARY 28, 2004										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	King	70s Show	Star Trek: Enterprise		Next Top Model		News		Blind Date	5th Wheel
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "Coming to America"					Who's?	700 Club	
(6)	News	Seinfeld	Apprentice		West Wing		Law & Order		News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	My Wife	It's Relative	Bachelorette		Celebrity Mole Yucatan		News	
(10)	News-Lehrer		Live From Lincoln Center					Great Performances	Charlie Rose	
(22)	College Basketball: N.C. St. at N.C.				NBA Basketball: Sacramento Kings at Houston Rockets				SportsCtr.	



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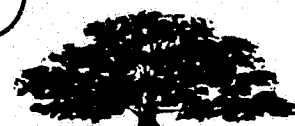
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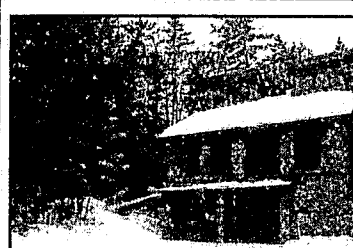
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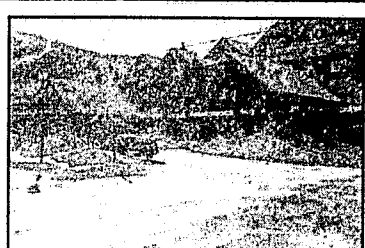
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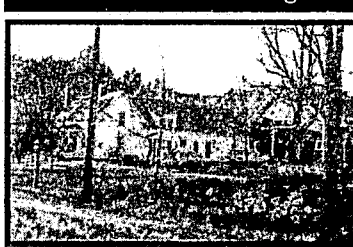


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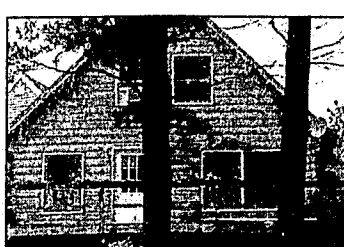
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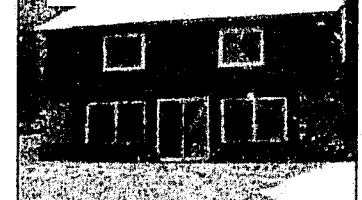
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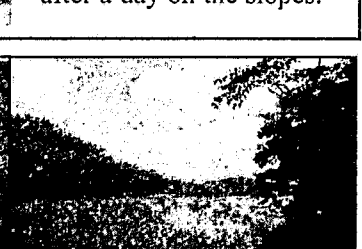
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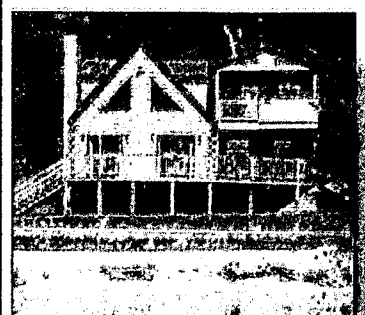
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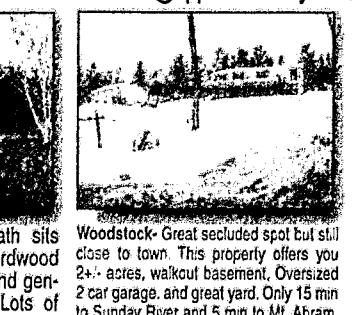
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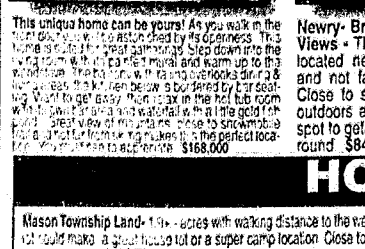
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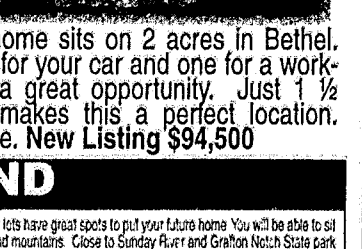
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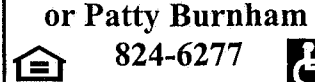
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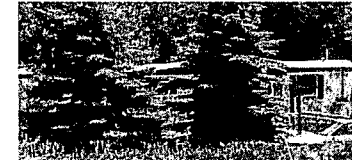
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Privacy and lovely views from this quaint log cabin on 2.3 acres in Woodstock. 2 bedrooms, 1 + baths, woodstove with hearth, and a large, three season porch combine for a perfect little house. Convenient to Rt. 26, this house would serve well for vacation use or full-time living. \$139,900



Rustic New England farmhouse with attached barn on 40+ beautiful acres Mountain and valley views from the kitchen/dining area windows. Pleasant River frontage. This home would make a lovely family home with some renovations. The property may also be suited for commercial ventures such as a campground or an outdoor adventure site. Come walk the land and get a sense of all that this property has to offer. \$175,000



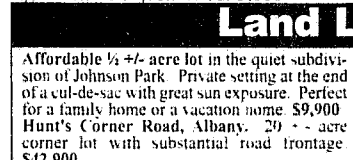
Affordable living in this 2 bedroom mobile home on High Street in West Paris. The lot is 1 acre. \$27,900



Modular cape on 74 acres in a lovely West Bethel neighborhood. Town water, private septic, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, full basement. The upstairs is unfinished and has plenty of space for another bathroom and two bedrooms. This property would make a lovely family home. \$139,900



At the end of this dead end road sets a camp that is waiting for you and your family to start building happy memories. There are 3 bedrooms, kitchen, living room, 1/2 bath and a screened porch. The lot is so spectacular that only viewing it will do it justice. \$195,000



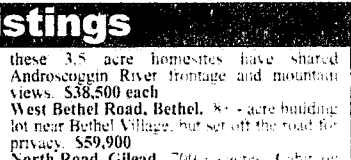
Affordable 1/2 acre lot in the quiet subdivision of Johnson Park. Private setting at the end of a cul-de-sac with great sun exposure. Perfect for a family home or a vacation home. \$9,900  
Hunt's Corner Road, Albany. 20+ acre corner lot with substantial road frontage. \$29,900  
COMMERCIAL potential - Contractors. Excavator take note. 33 acres on the Little Androscoggin River in West Paris. Call for details on the gravel and loam potential on this site. \$110,000  
4+ acres of rolling land with view potential in low tax Albany. Near Songo Pond \$41,000  
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these 3.5 acre homesteads have shared Androscoggin River frontage and mountain views. \$38,500 each  
West Bethel Road, Bethel. 8+ acre building lot near Bethel Village, but set off the road for privacy. \$29,900  
North Road, Gilead. 70+ acres. 4 lots on site. 1000+ ft of frontage on Whites Brook. Details.  
Maki Lane in Greenwood. 2.2 lovely acres with views. The property has a new septic system in place. \$35,900  
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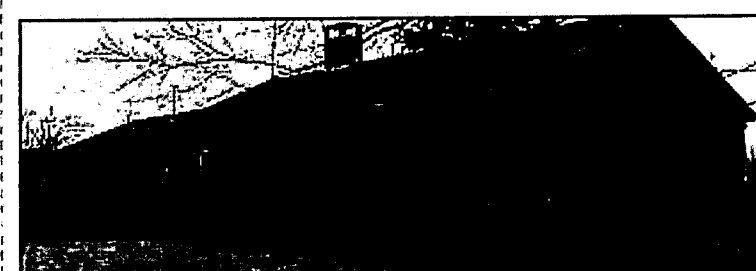
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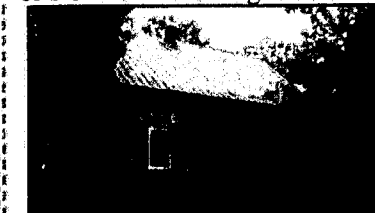
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**Rte. 2, Bethel:** Views of the Androscoggin River, its own fish pond, plus this ranch sits on the outskirts of Bethel on the main route to Sunday River! With lots of natural wood paneling and cabinetry, 3BR's, bath with Jacuzzi & double-sided fireplace, it's the perfect ski house or summer river activities retreat. \$169,900



**Birch St, Bryant Pond:** "Grandeur on the Lake" best describes this new WATERFRONT offering. Come take a tour of the restored wooden floors, built-in china armoire, grand fireplace, 5 BR's, two garages, turret front porch & much, much more. Picture yourself sipping lemonade on the screened porch overlooking 260' of serene lake frontage! Call us on this one. \$469,000



**Rte. 2, Rumford Point:** With a large eat-in kitchen, living room, 3/4 bath & laundry on the first floor, and 2 BR's & full bath on the 2nd floor, this house is a bargain for its price! Add a yard full of lilacs and a newer 8x12 shed, and you can't go wrong for only \$59,900



**Patch Mtn Rd, Greenwood:** Quiet, pristine location on the banks of the Sanborn River with Oversett Pond not too far away. Come to view this 4BR, 2 bath home with lg. garage and see how easily you can picture your family in this serene spot. \$169,900



**Heikkinen Road, Woodstock:** Charm abounds in this mid-nineteenth century colonial that retains much of its original style with a newer addition. Antique wood floors, ceilings and clawfoot tub transport to another era. You must ask for a showing to see everything this house has to offer. Just REDUCED to \$123,900!



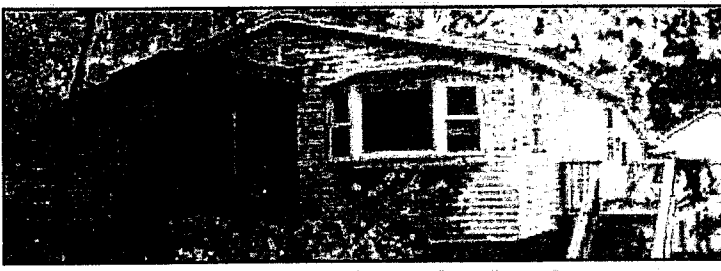
**Johnson Park, Bethel:** You will NOT be disappointed when you view this large, wonderful newer home with its farmers porch and breathtaking mountain views. This 3 BR two-story beauty has a 3 bay garage with space for an in-law apt or huge studio/game room. Lots of space and a great location convenient to both Mt. Abram and Sunday River. Call today. \$239,000



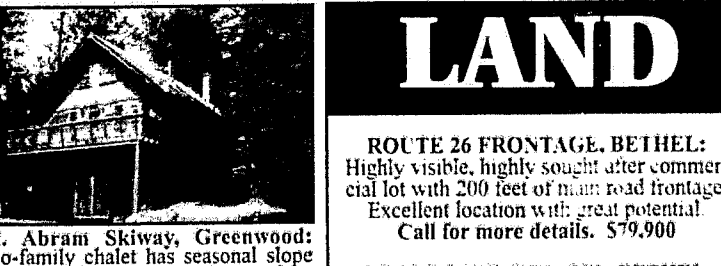
**Perkins Valley Rd, Woodstock:** Three buildings triple the possibilities for this property convenient to both the Woodstock/Bethel & Norway/Paris areas. Nicely renovated main house boasts 5BR's plus attached 1BR apt, the newer 10 unit self-storage bldg. has excellent rental history and the separate mobile home produces add'l rental income. Let others pay the mortgage! \$125,000



**Prospect Ave, Rumford:** If you have always wanted to be your own boss then this may be for you; ice cream/sandwich shop, has inside seating for ten people, sits on a major route and has been a profitable business for years! Sell ice cream in the summer and head someplace warm in the winter! Price includes all the inventory and equipment. \$125,000



**Baker Rd, Albany:** Live in the Songo Pond community & enjoy being only yards from the lake, with taxes under \$300!! 3BR's, 1 1/2 baths, skylights, deck & only minutes from Bethel and Sunday River. This ranch is a very attractive offering at only \$89,900



**Mt. Abram Skiway, Greenwood:** Two-family chalet has seasonal slope views of Mt. Abram within a short walk to the slopes. Besides a kitchen, bedroom and 1/2 bath, the ground level has a spacious LR/DR combo complete with hearth and woodstove. Main unit also has that PLUS an additional 2 bedrooms on the upper floor, for a total of 4 bedrooms in the house. Occupy one unit and rent the other! \$124,000



**Birch Rd, Mt. Abram:** Nestled in the pines in the heart of ski country is this 3BR, 2 bath vacation or year-round chalet. Big sliding glass doors that lead to a deck, large brick hearth and best of all, within walking distance to the slopes of Mt. Abram! Call today, ski season is almost here!! \$129,000

## LAND

**ROUTE 26 FRONTAGE, BETHEL:** Highly visible, highly sought after commercial lot with 200 feet of main road frontage. Excellent location with great potential. Call for more details. \$79,900

**GRAND VIEWS ESTATES, BETHEL:** Serenity, mountain views and spectacular sunsets await you at Grand View Estates. This newly designed subdivision, off the Intervale Road, minutes from the town of Bethel, is just waiting for you to build your ski vacation or year-round home. Boasting views of Sunday River Ski Resort, the lots range in size from 1.1 acres to 1.9 acres. Don't wait to pick out a prime lot for your home. Call today for a viewing. Prices start at \$23,400

**RTE. 26, WOODSTOCK:** Fourteen acres with convenient Rte. 26 location not too far from North Pond. It has 380 feet of road frontage, yet goes back into secluded acreage for that perfect spot to build your home. It's the best of both! \$39,900

**RTE 140, HARTFORD:** Beautiful house lots in a small, quiet subdivision. Lots range in size from 6 to 10 acres. These are ideal lots for people who want to get away from the city to enjoy nature, relax with loved ones and appreciate country living, yet city life is still just a few minutes away! Price just reduced to \$19,500 per lot!!

**LOT 7 WESTSIDE, MT. ABRAM SKIWAY:** Directly across from Mt. Abram Skiway's Westside Lodge, this wooded one acre building lot is prime property for either your new year-round home or ski chalet. Ski in & out or enjoy the spectacular slope views all four seasons! \$27,000

**RTE. 26, SOUTH PARIS:** Only a little over one mile from Market Square in So. Paris, 6 miles from Trap Corner in West Paris, and 17 miles from Greenwood, this 20+ acre parcel of land is mostly sand and gravel pit. Property boasts 400' +/- on Rte. 26 and long river frontage, estimated at 550' +/- Worth a good look at \$110,000



**Rte 232, Rumford:** Admired by all who have driven by, this mini-farm with in-ground pool can be yours! Lovely horse pasture, two stall barn and nicely renovated and updated farmhouse make this seven acre offering one-of-a-kind. Ski areas and river recreation are only a few short miles away. \$365,000



**Mt. Abram Village, Greenwood:** Location, Location! A short stroll to Mt. Abram & just a few minutes drive to Sunday River, this brand new authentic log home has a spacious LR w/ceiling, fireplace & wood floors. Drenched in sunlight from windows above, 1st floor has foyer, kitchen, dining area, 2BR's & full bath. Master BR & bath on 2nd floor and walk-out basement has 600sq ft. of future expansion. \$212,900



**Bethel:** With TLC and an adventurous spirit, someone could realize this house's true potential. Very conveniently located en route to ski areas and river and lake recreation. Comfortably priced and recently reduced to \$52,500



**Main St, Greenwood:** Frontage on Alder River! Known as the Houghton House in the town's history books, this period Greek revival cape needs restoration to bring back its former glory. Tin ceilings, hardwood floors, 4+ bedrooms, encl. porch & hot tub room overlooking the river & boat dock make it worth a look at only \$79,900



**Sandy River, Starks:** Picture your own private beach, 1600 ft. on the Sandy River and a beautifully remodeled 5BR, 3 Bath farmhouse. New dormers, new clapboards & paint, new roof shingles, all new wiring, new plumbing, new furnace, new 72 ft. farmer's porch and much, much more! All this on 49 acres with large well-maintained barn, silo, detached garage and pond. Only \$349,000



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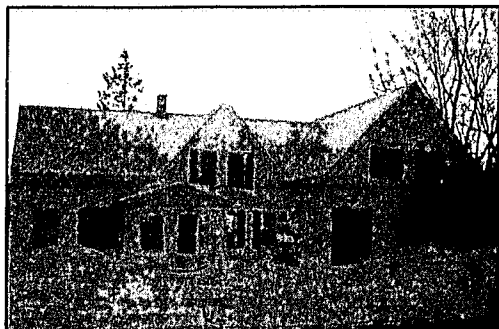
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## ATTRACTIVE 4 BEDROOM LOG SIDED HOME

Located just south of the Bethel village on a quietly traveled road, this new-to-be built log sided home offers mountain views to the east, an open floor plan with 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, loft, stone fireplace, large porch and privacy. \$269,000



## STUNNING SUNDAY RIVER HOME

Beautifully maintained 5 bedroom, 3 bath home at Sunday River Ski Resort. Lockout with rental potential. Jacuzzi, Fireplace and wired for generator. \$699,000



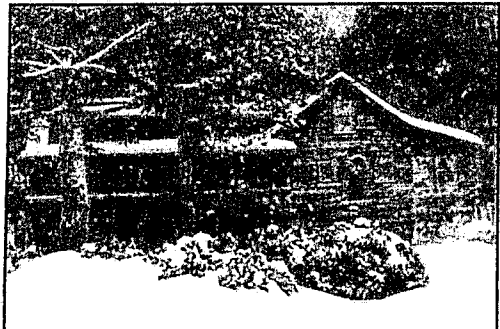
## NEW HOME AT THE BASE OF SUNDAY RIVER

New 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath home is located at the base of Sunday River Ski Resort and across the street from the Sunday River Inn & Cross Country Center in Red House Farm Village, a unique condominium community. This perfect gathering spot for family and friends has an open floor plan, fireplace, great room with cathedral ceiling and a spacious kitchen. An un interrupted view of White Heat rounds out this special vacation or primary home. Amenities include cross country and snowshoe trails located in the Farm Loop, a small pond, and trolley service to Sunday River. \$329,000



## POWDER RIDGE CONDOMINIUM

Very desirable condominium located at Powder Ridge with wonderful views of Sunday River Ski Resort. Spacious three level unit with fireplace. Partially furnished. A must see! \$279,900



## CHARMING LOG HOME

Charming log home with large stone fireplace, beautiful mountain views, amazing stone walls and well established perennial gardens. Detached oversized 3 bay/6 car garage, heated with running water. Daylight, walkout basement. Pond partially set up for hydro electric power. \$359,000



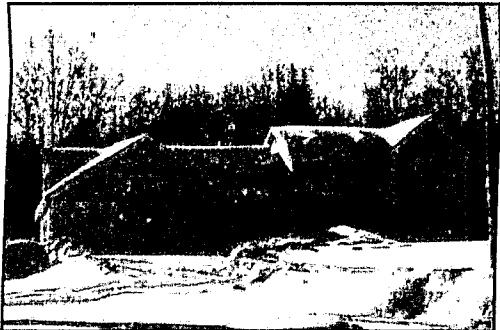
## CUSTOM, BRIGHT CONTEMPORARY

Custom, bright contemporary home with expansive Sunday River and Mahoosuc mountain views. Beautiful double sided fireplace, 6 bedrooms, lock out apartment. Tastefully landscaped. A real find! \$849,000



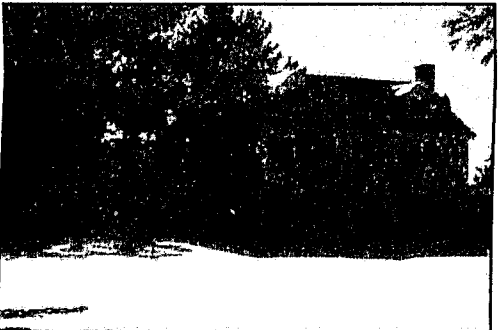
## NEWLY BUILT BETHEL HOME

Newly built home located in Bethel village within walking distance of town amenities. Three levels - 4 bedrooms, 2 baths plus spacious family room. \$253,000



## CONVENIENT CONTEMPORARY HOME

Located close to the Village of Bethel, yet on a nice secluded lot on Paradise Road, this spacious five bedroom home has an efficiency apartment and many fine details. Formal dining room, living room with fireplace, sun room overlooking an above ground pool. Three-car oversized garage. Farm pond. Nicely landscaped yard. \$399,000



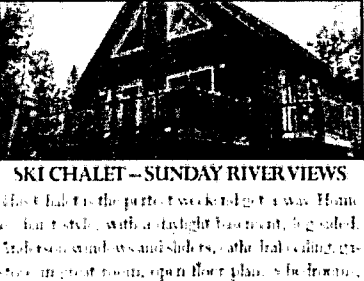
## PROMINENT HOME ON PARADISE HILL

Situated on over 2 acres with stunning western Maine mountain views. This hard to come by village home offers 5 oversized bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, custom black walnut kitchen cabinets, fireplace, hardwood floors and a screened-in porch. \$429,000



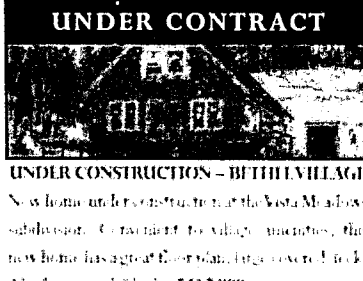
## SUNSET FARM - A Bethel Landmark

Prominent Bethel landmark, built in 1826, has been lovingly restored and enhanced with two modern additions. Situated on 18+ scenic acres with a farm pond, Androscoggin River frontage and unsurpassed views. A well designed floor plan featuring 6 fireplaces, 6+ bedrooms, offices, formal dining and living rooms, den, family room. Two car garage, 10 stall barn.



## SKI CHALET - SUNDAY RIVER VIEWS

Just minutes to the perfect weekend get away. Home with a full kitchen, full bath, full living room, full dining room, full bedroom, full bathroom, full kitchen, full living room, full dining room, full bedroom, full bathroom. \$159,900



## UNDER CONTRACT

UNDER CONSTRUCTION - BETHEL VILLAGE  
New home under construction in the West Mahoosuc Subdivision. Convenient to village amenities, the new home has great mountain views, a full kitchen, full living room, full dining room, full bedroom, full bathroom. \$162,000



## ATTRACTIVE CUSTOM BUILT HOME

Hand built, custom built home with a full kitchen, full living room, full dining room, full bedroom, full bathroom. \$239,000



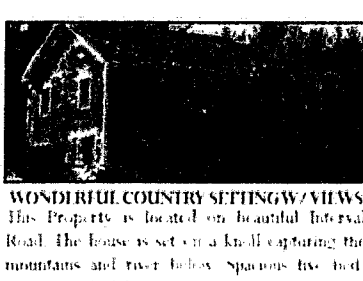
## WELL MAINTAINED SPACIOUS HOME

Located in the village of Bethel, this home has nice woodwork, hardwood floors, large kitchen with family room, dining room, sunny living room, four bedrooms, two baths. In-law apartment, barn. Two car garage. \$239,000



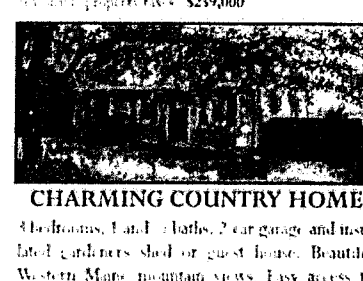
## CLASSIC VILLAGE HOME

Great in town lot with large back yard and room for gardens. Spacious sun room attached to the dining area. Three bedrooms and 2 baths. \$144,000



## WONDERFUL COUNTRY SETTING WITH VIEWS

This property is located on beautiful Interval Road. The house is set on a hill capturing the mountains and river below. Spacious two bed rooms, two bathrooms, dining room, living room, ground pool and deck. \$195,000



## CHARMING COUNTRY HOME

Three bedrooms, full kitchen, 2 car garage and beautiful gardens. Shed or guest house. Beautiful Western Maine mountain views. Easy access to snowmobile trails, and lakes, cross country and alpine skiing. \$129,000



## APPEALING 2 BEDROOM HOME

Located in Allamby township where property taxes are low, this well kept 2 bedroom, 1 bath home is located just outside of Bethel on a 4 acre lot with frontage on the crooked river. Detached storage building. \$79,900



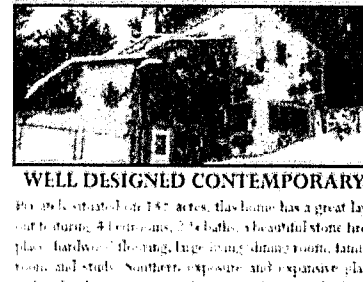
## BRIAR LEA - INN & RESTAURANT

Located on scenic Route 17 between Bethel village and Sunday River Ski Resort, this beautiful location has a full kitchen, full living room, full dining room, full bedroom, full bathroom. \$440,000



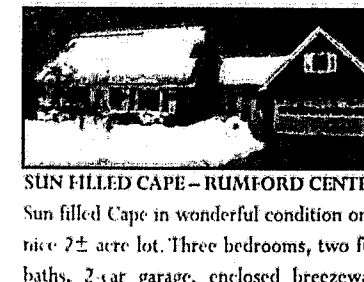
## PARKWAY PROFESSIONAL BUILDING

Newly built corner office condominium located on the Parkway. Excellent visibility. Create your own interior layout. State of the art interior, hardwood floors, central air, ample paved parking, handicap accessibility. \$137,900



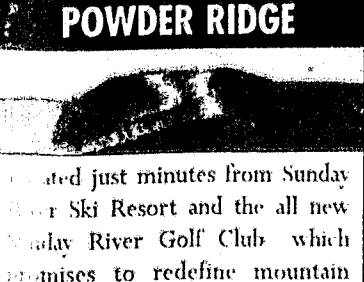
## WELL DESIGNED CONTEMPORARY

Four bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, this home has a great layout, hardwood floors, 2 car garage, a beautiful stone fireplace, hardwood floors, large living room, family room and study. Southern exposure and expansive views make this home unique and desirable. Features full in-law suite and detached storage. \$179,900



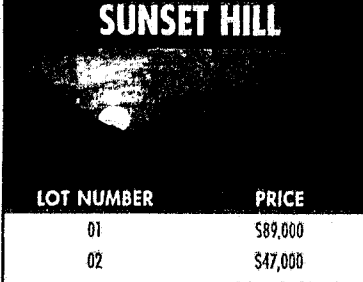
## SUN FILLED CAPE - RUMFORD CENTER

Sun filled Cape in wonderful condition on a nice 2 1/2 acre lot. Three bedrooms, two full baths, 2 car garage, enclosed breezeway. Fireplace. Attractively priced. \$159,000



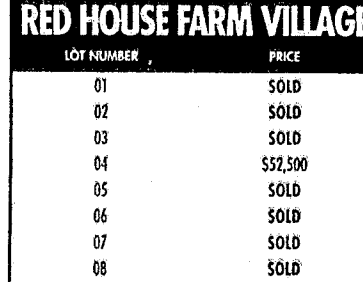
## POWDER RIDGE

Located just minutes from Sunday River Ski Resort and the all new Sunday River Golf Club which promises to redefine mountain living. Powder Ridge at Sunday River is the premier spot for your future vacation home or primary residence in the mountains. Call for availability and pricing.



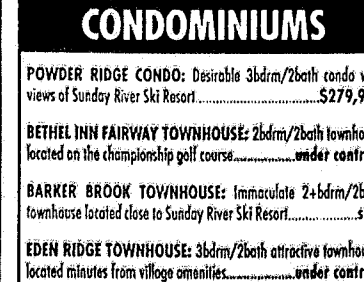
## SUNSET HILL

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## RED HOUSE FARM VILLAGE

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09 SOLD  
10 \$88,900  
11 \$85,900  
12 \$86,500  
13 UNDER CONTRACT  
14 \$85,900  
15 \$69,500



## CONDOMINIUMS

POWDER RIDGE CONDO: Desirable 3bd/2bth condo with views of Sunday River Ski Resort. \$279,900  
BETHEL INN FAIRWAY TOWNHOUSE: 2bd/2bth townhouse located on the championship golf course. Under contract  
BARKER BROOK TOWNHOUSE: Immaculate 2+bd/2bth townhouse located close to Sunday River Ski Resort. Sold  
EDEN RIDGE TOWNHOUSE: 3bd/2bth attractive townhouse, located minutes from village amenities. Under contract  
RIVERBEND CONDO: This well kept 2bd/2bth unit is perfect for a weekend retreat. \$112,000  
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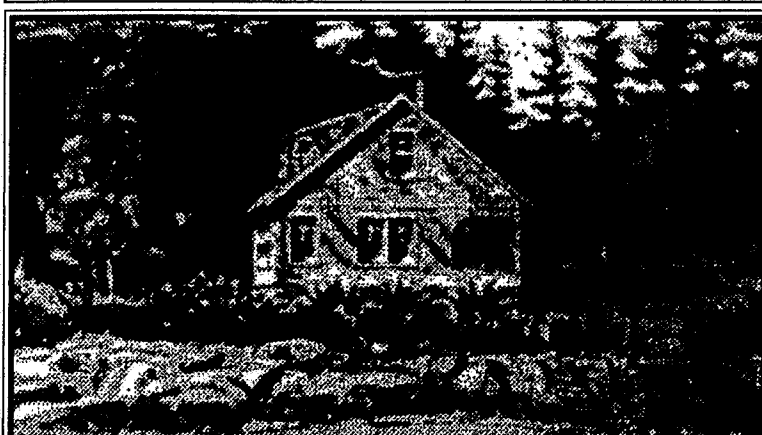


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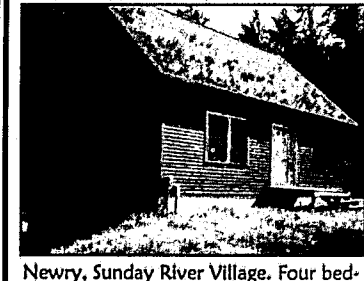
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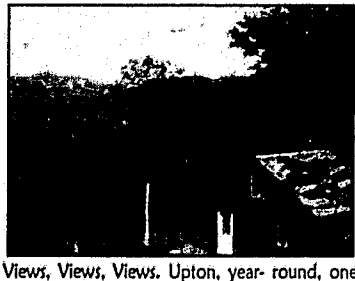
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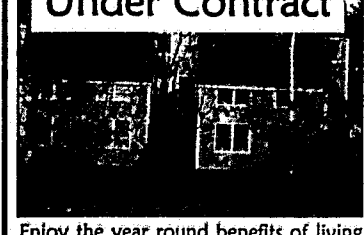
## Under Contract

Newly, Sunday River Village. Four bedroom, three bath home with tile floors, kit with all stainless Jenn-air app., and Corian counters. Basement is full lock-out apartment with 3 br, 3/4 bath, kit, laundry and living rm. \$290,000



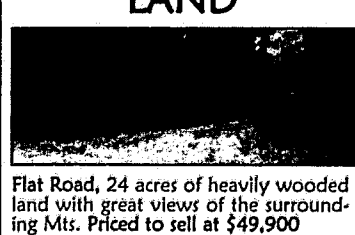
## LAND

Views, Views, Views. Upton, year-round, one bedroom home w/loft, kitchen, 3/4 bath, living room dining area, and deck with spectacular views in almost every direction you look. This house is situated on 18+ acres of land that lends itself to many uses. A great opp. at \$159,000.



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Enjoy the year round benefits of living in this one bedroom, post and beam unit located only minutes from Sunday River Skiing and the new golf course. Unit is fully furnished for immediate occupancy. Priced to sell at \$64,900



## LAND

Flat Road, 24 acres of heavily wooded land with great views of the surrounding Mts. Priced to sell at \$49,900

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**Slopeside Home - Sunday River Village, Newry:** This 4-Story Quality Post & Beam Home is sit'd in the most coveted of Villages at Sunday River Ski Resort. Offering ever-so-close to fab ski trails & numerous amenities in a well est'd, precedent-setting subdiv on a 1+/- landscaped acre. You'll marvel at its spacious, open flr pl showcasing impressive p&b work, inventive window treatments, parquet flg & professional craftsmanship. Showcasing a striking GR w/ adjoining DR, 2nd stry balcony, 5 BRs, lg upper lvl Loft Area, 3 Baths, Game Room, Hot Tub, Sauna, Deck, Porch, Nooks & Crannies. The Ultimate in Accommodations Awaits! \$599,000



**Slopeside Home - The Best Trail Access Now Available in Sunday River Village, Newry:** A spectacular 1997 Contemporary yr rnd home w/ coveted proximity to ski trails! Exceptional quality, detail & upkeep is exemplified thruout this tri-level open concept flr pln. A handsome stone fp serves as a fitting focal point of it its stunning GR displaying the highest of ceilings offset w/ massive windows crowned with circle top glass. Hard pine fling spans the Living & Dining Area leading to a well designed Kit. An array of windows and glass sliders combined w/ a sunny deck & farm porch allow the scenic Sunday River Mtn & trail backdrop to be enjoyed from within. 5 BRs, 2 1/2 Baths, countless amenities. By Appointment Only. \$699,000



**New Listing - Slopeside Home - Sunday River Village:** Are You In the Market For A Four Season Vacation Home? Then how about an elegant 5 BR ski chalet situated in the most sought after of slope side communities? Featuring a beautiful GR basking in warm southerly exposure, the configuration of living easily accommodates large groups for fun no matter what the season. High, open ceiling, massive brick fp & hearth, impressive Kit w/ spacious isle for seating, all-important entry room for sports gear. What More Could One Ask For In A Ski-Home? \$539,000

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**New Listing - Bryant Pond:** Spectacular Mtn & Valley Views abound from this well maintained 1997 Cape, 2,800+/- sq. ft. of well thought out living space includes a lovely Living Room, Dining Area with bay windows, Kitchen with breakfast bar, 3-4 BRs, incl a Master with walk-in closet and balcony, 2 Baths, daylight lower level. Large wraparound decks & screened in porch allow the natural beauty of this secluded gem to be enjoyed. \$259,000



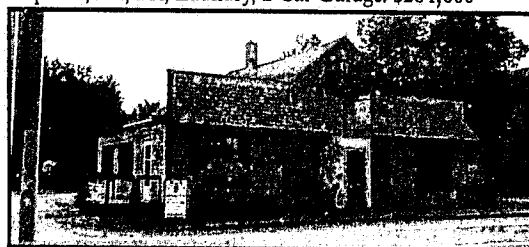
**Historic Dist., In-Town Bethel:** This finely restored Gothic Gem w/ an award of historic restoration represents Bethel Common's 1<sup>st</sup> balloon frame home! A fetching dwelling, it's ext. is complemented by prof. manicured grounds, walkways, entryways & oversized windows. Int. offers a spacious flrpl w/ high ceilings, ornate trimwork, hardwood & ceramic fling, State-of-the-art Kit, adj. FR, DR w/ vintage tin ceiling, newly const. Library w/ elaborate shelving, wainscoting & fl. LR w/ fabulous windows. 3 BRs, 2 Baths & Garage. \$325,000



**Bethel Village: "House Beautiful"** - This Lovingly Cared For & Maintained Home ve Nothing Less Than Exquisite! From its ext w/ wraparound flr porch, rear deck & sunny lawn to its light & colorful int. you're sure to love everything about this home...Details prevail thruout its GR brightened by windows w/ built-in shelves, tile fling, cherry cabs offset by a ctr seating isle w/ adj step down dining area. Flowing to a formal DR & LR, w/ hwd fling, its flr pln also offers 3 BRs & 3 Baths incl a Master Suite w/ cathedral ceiling & private bath. A 3rd lvl FR showcases mtn views & doubles nicely as guest qtrs. \$349,900



**Bailey Road, Bethel:** Only one mile from Bethel Village in a sought-after neighborhood, find this impressive Contemporary of impressive proportions and impeccable quality. Over 3,000+/- square foot living area includes beautiful 1st floor layout showcasing unique professional painting techniques and newly constructed lower level area, 6 BRs, 3 1/2 Baths, spacious EIK w/ adj screened porch, LR, FR, Laundry, 2 Car Garage. \$284,000



**Finish Line Pizzeria:** Highly Visible and Successful Eatery on Main Street in Bethel Village. Being conveyed LOCK, STOCK AND BARREL on corner lot, this 35 seat capacity restaurant/take-out venue has established a hefty repeat clientele. Automated Pizza oven, deep fryer, grill, tables, chairs, al fresco furniture included. Extensive menu offers diverse selection from pizza to lobster and wine to beer. Great Business, Great Real Estate, Great Location - Now's The Time To Let Your Entrepreneurial Side Shine - A Steal At \$289,900! Just the Business, \$110,000; Just the building on .40 ac, \$199,000; Just the building on 1.40 ac \$225,000!



**Coombs Village:** Nestled Within Nostalgic Setting of Ski Chalets, one is sure to admire this yr rnd dwelling. From its loc 1 can drive 2 mins to SR Ski Resort or walk to X-C trails & restaurants/pubs. A perfect choice for those seeking a low maintenance vaca home which still offers privacy & low operating costs. Being offered fully furn, you'll love its flr pln, showcasing windows & drs accessing the add of a 240+/- sq ft deck w/ 4 person hot tub. Kit: Dining Area, LR w/ wdstv, BR/ Den, 2nd flr Mstr BR w/ skylight. \$134,900!



**PRICE REDUCED - Bethel Village:** This revered turn-of-the-century farmhouse is sit upon a prime in-town locale lending itself to innumerable possibilities including residential, vacation, home occupation or commercial ventures. Its classic floorplan offers a sunny glassed-in porch, country kitchen, DR, LR w/ fireplace, 3 BRs, 3 Baths & much more. Fenced in grassy back yard area and new heating system. All this for \$139,900

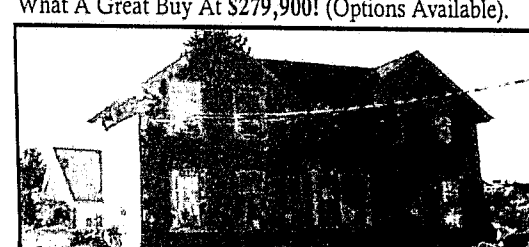


**Sunday River Road:** The Eye-Catching Log Home You've Always Admired is Now Being Offered For Sale! Sit on the SR Rd en route to the Jordan Grand, the rich natural beauty of its loc is so appealing. Accessed by a side deck, the int displays a GR w/ cathedral ceilings & sky lights constructed of pine int walls offset by log ext walls. A Franklin fp wdstv, 2 1st flr BRs, a high upper lvl loft - unfirn lwr lvl bsmt Garage offers expansion possibilities. Being conveyed in prime const. the result of years of ownership. Close to skiway & waterways. \$225,000

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**New listings - Mountain View Circle:** En route to the beautiful new Jordan Bowl Golf Course, 2 Beautiful Contemporary Chalets To Be Constructed - one in the Fall/Winter of 2003; the other in the Spring of 2004. Featuring open concepts with high ceilings, Great Room, 3 BRs inclusive of a master suite, 2 Baths - Quality Construction! Nestled Within A Coveted Subdivision What A Great Buy At \$279,900! (Options Available)



**Bethel: Entrepreneurs Take Note...** The commercial possibilities are limitless! Adjacent to Bethel Station, this spacious 4 BR Village home presents a wonderfully accommodating interior in meticulous "clean-as-a-whistle" condition with exceptional spiral staircase in front foyer, separate 1 BR apt, 2-car garage, considerable front yard and prime visibility for your commercial aspirations. \$179,900-\$169,000

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Lowell Brook ~ \$179,000



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Sunday Valley Acres Spec



In-Town Bethel ~ \$999,000



Rt. 2, Hanover ~ \$298,000



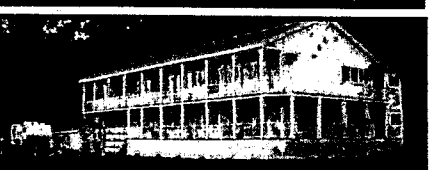
Intervale Road ~ \$155,000



Grafton ~ \$39,900



East "B" Hill Rd. ~ \$199,000



Upton ~ \$189,000



Paradise Street ~ \$205,000



Goss Pond, Bethel ~ \$279,000



Andover ~ \$249,000



Goss Pond ~ \$299,000



Goss Pond ~ \$229,000



Bear River Rd. Newry ~ \$449,900



Hillside Pines ~ From \$19,900



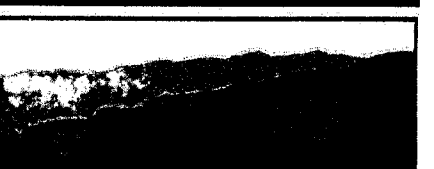
Sunday River Road ~ \$49,900



Lake Christopher ~ \$439,900



Bird Hill Rd ~ \$159,000



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Beautiful 3 BR, Sleep 8 Capacity unit loc at the Jordan Grand Hotel, now available for Qtr Share Ownership! Great Ski-in/Ski-out loc w/ spec views. Hotel amen incl outdoor heated pool, Jacuzzis, Saunas, Health Club, Valet Parking, & more! Ownership Privileges incl space avail trading at any of American Skiing Company's Grand Resort Hotels. RCI membership avail.

Sunday River Estates #1: Situated only one mile or so to SR Ski Resort & within walking distance to neighboring restaurants, pubs & ski shops, find this beautiful townhouse. A corner unit w/ 3 spacious BRs inclusive of a master suite w/ loft area, 2 full baths, open concept living area w/ newer carpeting & ceramic flooring, oak cabinets... Offered in pristine condition @ \$149,900

Fall Line N108 at Sunday River Ski Resort: Sleep 6 capacity 1 bedroom unit at coveted Fall Line condominium complex. Offering use of indoor heated pool, saunas, hot tub, 2 rec. rooms and fantastic trails access for all level of skiers. The only unit we currently have listed, won't last at \$69,900!

New Listing - North Peak II-111: A Very Rare Find - This ski-in, ski-out slope side condominium at Sunday River Ski Resort won't be available for long. 2 Bedrooms, Great Room, fully furnished, EXCELLENT ACCESS to South Ridge Base Lodge and the Peak Area. SOLD

SUNDAY RIVER SKI-IN/SKI-OUT CONDO'S  
BROOKSIDE BUILDING I  
I-B-407 2 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
I-B-202 2 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
I-A-202 2 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
I-A-403 2 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
I-B-405 2 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
I-B-408 2 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
I-B-302 2 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
I-B-406 2 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
I-B-202 2 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
BROOKSIDE BUILDING II  
II-B-109 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
II-A-213 Studio/1 Bath SOLD  
II-A-208 Studio/1 Bath SOLD  
II-B-303 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
II-B-213 Studio/1 Bath SOLD  
II-A-109 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
II-B-107 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
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II-A-301 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
II-A-304 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD

II-A-311 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
II-B-105 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
II-A-207 Studio/1 Bath SOLD  
II-A-316 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
CASCADES  
C-18 Studio/1 Bath SOLD  
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C-16 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
C-16 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
A-23 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
C-7 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
LOCKE MOUNTAIN  
D-3 4 Bdrm/3 1/2 Baths SOLD  
FALL LINE  
N-108 Bdrm/1 Bath \$89,900  
N-214 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
E-205 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
N-106 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
W-115 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
N-207 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
W-209 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
S-101 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
E-116 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
S-208 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
N-212 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD

S-215 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
S-206 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
W-203 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
W-109 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
SOUTHRIDGE  
C-2 2 Bdrm/2 Bath SOLD  
E-3 2 Bdrm/2 Bath SOLD  
B-4 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
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I-1 3 Bdrm/2 Bath SOLD  
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WHITE CAP  
B-218 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
A-407 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
A-205 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
JORDAN GRAND  
QUARTERSHARE  
141-A Studio/1 Bath \$25,000  
351-D Studio/1 Bath \$30,000  
355/347-B 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$49,900  
253-A 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$52,000  
156-C 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$52,900  
253-B 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$55,000  
248/204-C 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$59,900  
111/114-2 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$61,000  
241/226-B 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$70,000  
123-A 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$90,000  
123-B 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$105,000  
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GRAND SUMMIT  
QUARTERSHARE  
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314-D Studio/1 Bath \$17,500

101-B 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$29,000  
208/210-C 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$36,000  
370-A 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$38,900  
260/262-A 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$39,900  
188/190-C2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$40,000  
285/287-D 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$47,000  
LUXURIOUS TOWNHOMES  
BARKER BROOK  
#11 2 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
#14 2 Bdr+Lfr/1 Bath SOLD  
BETHEL INN FAIRWAY TOWNHOME  
#558-559 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$184,900  
CHAMBERLAIN CONDOMINIUMS  
#B-22 2 Bdrm/1 Bath \$89,900  
RIVERBEND  
#33 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$115,000  
#3 1 Bdrm/1 Bath PENDING  
#9 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD  
#15 2 Bdrm/2 Bath SOLD  
SUNDAY RIVER ESTATES  
#1 3 Bdrm/2 Baths \$149,900  
#2 3 Bdrm/2 Bath SOLD



**New Listing - Bethel Inn Fairway Townhouse #558-559:** A Rare Find...This 2 Bedroom, 2 Bath Corner Unit is in Immaculate, Move In Condition boasting new carpeting, attractive furnishings, additional end windows & convenient lock-out feature. Beautiful westerly sunsets, mountain vistas & good rental history. An Exceptional Value at \$184,900

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## Obituaries

### DANIEL J. GERAGHTY

Daniel J. Geraghty, 48, died suddenly on Jan. 12, 2004 in Boston, Mass. He was the son of John and Rosemary Geraghty of Bryant Pond.

Daniel was born in Madison, Wis. He grew up on the South Shore of Boston, in Hingham, and Scituate, Mass. He graduated from Scituate High School in 1972. He attended the Culinary Institute of America in Hyde Park, N.Y., the University of Vancouver in Vancouver, Canada, and the University of Massachusetts.

He worked as a chef in a number of Boston restaurants, Locke Ober, Mason Robert, The Parker House, The Hyatt Regency Hotel, and others.

He suffered from a mental illness for many years, but was determined to live a full life, in spite of these burdens.

He was a generous, loving man, helping his less fortunate neighbors in the Boston area. He reached out to those who needed him.

He is survived by his parents; his fiancé Charlotte

MaComber; three brothers, Michael J. of Pleasant Hill, Calif., Timothy C. of Marblehead, Mass., and Robert J. of Portland. His older brother, Patrick, died in 1983. Daniel has four sisters, Jeanne Jones of Norway, Megan Bakken of Temple, Texas, Mary Mendes of Saco, and Bridget Cloutier of Cape Elizabeth.

A memorial Mass will be held in Our Lady of the Snows Catholic Church, Bethel, at 10 a.m. on Saturday, Jan. 24. If you wish, donations may be made to the St. Francis House, PO Box 120499, Essex Station, Boston, MA 02112.

### EVA M. PERRY

Eva M. Perry died Jan. 18, 2004, at the Norway Rehabilitation and Living Center at the age of 91.

She was born on a farm in Newry on July 15, 1912, the daughter of Robert Wesley Enman and Paulina Geneva Enman. She attended schools in Rumford and lived there ten years before relocating to South Portland and Prouts Neck in Scarborough, where she had employment and met her husband, Joseph Irvin

Perry. They were married in South Portland in 1938 and he died in 1988.

Eva was a longtime employee of Gould Academy in Bethel. She was a member of the United Methodist Church, the Eleanor Gordon Guild, Bethel Library, Bethel Historical Society, Bethel Senior Citizens and Edna York's Bible Study. She liked to do towel painting and refinish antique furniture.

She is survived by her daughter, Jo Ann Feagin and her husband William of Hendersonville, N.C.; a sister, Edith Irene Rowe of Norway; a grandson, Jonathan J. Perry of Burlington, Conn.; a daughter-in-law Barbara T. Hladik of Bristol, Conn.; two granddaughters, Kristina Marie Perry and Katelynn Perry of Burlington, Conn.; a nephew Joseph Wesley Enman and his wife Roxanne of Lisbon Falls; and many other nieces and nephews who were kindly regarded. She was predeceased by one son, Wayne Robert Perry, who died in Hartford, Conn., in 1971; a sister, Elsie Davis of Bethel; and five brothers, Lester, Leon, Earl, Everett and Herbert Enman.

Funeral services will be held at the Greenleaf Funeral Home, 37 Vernon Street, Bethel, on Friday, Jan. 23 at 2 p.m. Spring burial will be in the family lot at Powers Cemetery, Newry. Memorials in her memory may be made to the Bethel United Methodist Church, Main Street, Bethel, ME 04217.

### ERNEST E. WESTLEIGH

Ernest E. Westleigh, 88, died on Jan. 20, 2004 at his home in Albany Township with his loving family by his side.

Ernest was born on Nov. 15, 1915 in Mason Township the son of Lura E. and Thomas E. Westleigh.

Ernest married Marjorie L. Tibbetts on July 19, 1941. Together they raised their children teaching them love, respect, and the value of family, as well as many life skills. Their marriage of 62 years endured hardships as well as many joys. Though a humble man of little means his wealth was his family.

He is survived by his loving wife, Marjorie; his daughters, Charlotte Avanzato and husband Ronald of Hiram, Lenora Conger and husband Kevin Sr. of New Gloucester, Lydia Westleigh of Albany, Roxanne Fields and husband Francis of Harrison, Heidi Westleigh of Albany; his sons, Ernest R. of West Paris, Skip and wife Allene of Denmark, Eugene and wife Helena of Alna, Francis and wife Sally of Bethel, Richard and wife Linda of Rumford, Zane and wife Wendi of Poland; 26 grandchildren; five step grandchildren; 11 step great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by a son, Dale; daughters Lorena and Bethany; and great-granddaughter, Christie Lynn Avanzato.

"My Puppa" by Rebecca Lynn Rivard for her loving Puppa.

Like the warm and gentle breezes of summer, you faded into a mild fall and then to a barren winter.

But even in those cold days that would be an end, you brought love back into a family that loved you in return.

A bright light among mere men, you shine with the balance of a red Indian summer sunset.

Hands like leather that could turn to creamy butter in the instant of needed comfort.

A man with much devotion to family, friends, and animals.

As a husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, and great-great-grandfather, you were the family's pillar of strength.

You will be sadly missed, but we know you are in a better place, so sleep my dearest Puppa, and feel no more pain, have no worries for we will all meet again.

There will not be any services at this time. Condolences may be expressed at [www/FuneralAlternatives.net](http://www.FuneralAlternatives.net).

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Our team - family practice physicians, nurse midwife, experienced maternity nurses and obstetrician - wants to ensure not only a happy and exciting arrival, but also a healthy one. Although most deliveries are uncomplicated, we are trained and experienced in providing emergency care, if needed.

- We have a newborn nursery equipped with everything necessary for evaluation and emergency treatment of newborns with complications.
- All doctors, the certified nurse midwife and maternity nurses are experienced and trained in neonatal resuscitation and stabilization.
- We have close links with the Neonatology Unit at Central Maine Medical Center, including consultation and expert transfer, if needed.

### Featuring John Kroger, M.D.

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Medical School: Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX  
Certification: American Board of Family Practice

Our medical family at the Family Birthing Center, Rumford Hospital • Swift River Health Care • Elmore Dixfield Center



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### WEST PARIS UNITARIAN-UNIVERSALIST

The Unitarian-Universalist Church in West Paris is opening its doors to the community again this year for Cabin Fever Countdown programs. Starting Thursday, Feb. 5, from 1 to 3:30 p.m., the church will be open each Thursday for at least six weeks for games, puzzles, crafts or a time just to visit with friends you know or may get to know. Coffee and a snack will be provided each week.

Each week a craft or special program will be offered as well as board games, dominoes, card games. Jigsaw puzzles will be works in progress for those who like the challenge of this activity. Last year the puzzle stumped the group so we will see what happens this year.

### In Loving Memory of Garey P. York

Jan. 21, 2003-Jan. 21, 2004  
We love you and miss you.

## NOTICE

### Greenwood Residents

Anyone wishing to place an article in the Town Warrant and request funding for the budget for the March 27, 2004 Town Meeting must turn it into the Town Office by February 13, 2004  
Carol Whitman, Town Manager

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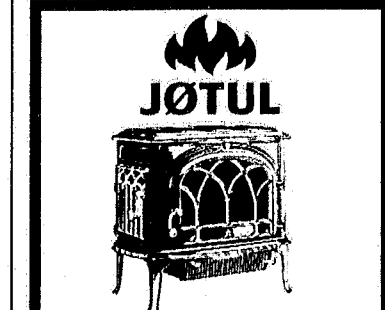
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